

Story Of Era's Paid Circulation Proudly Told, Now Is 1,379

RADICAL DEPARTURE PROVES SUCCESS AS PUBLIC GIVES APPROVAL

IS FIRST IN PROVINCE

As it is not economically feasible to publish a newspaper for one or two subscribers, the primary problem of a newspaper is to secure readers. When readers become sufficient, advertising comes easily and a newspaper becomes profitable. And a profitable newspaper is a good thing not only for its publishers but for the community.

So many of Ontario's weeklies today seem unprofitable and languishing that the publishers of The Era some three years ago reached the conclusion that we were all making some serious mistake in policy. We thought there must be some good reason for our failure to gain and hold more readers.

We blamed the weekly pay-as-you-please subscription policy. We talked with subscribers and we canvassed rural subscribers and we reached the conclusion that people didn't appreciate being allowed to get into debt for their local newspaper. We also found that people were afraid to subscribe for a local newspaper lest it should go on and on, regardless of their continued desire for it, and they should never be able to rid themselves of it.

And we talked to the publisher of the Huntingdon (P. Q.) Gleaner. This weekly has been Page 6, Col. 4

Paid-in-Advance ERA CIRCULATION June 1, 1939	
Newmarket	395
Newmarket 1	15
Newmarket 2	46
Newmarket 3	26
Armitage	6
Aurora R. R. 2	4
Aurora	280
Holland Landing	14
Bradford	4
Brownhill	1
Cedar Brae	5
Baldwin	13
Belhaven	6
Ravenshoe	11
Cedar Valley	5
Schomberg	2
Pefferlaw	2
Zephyr	13
Virginia	3
Stouffville	10
Kettleby 1	23
Kettleby 2	7
King R.R.'s	20
Corrville	8
Queensville	39
Queensville 1	30
Queensville 2	32
Holt	19
Keswick and R.R.'s	53
Roche's Point	9
Jackson's Point	1
Sutton West	19
Sutton 1, 2, 3	16
Sharon and R.R.'s	33
Mount Albert and R.R.'s	52
Miscellaneous	4
Total	1,227
(Above figures include 92 copies to correspondents and local advertisers.)	
Outside Paid Circulation	152
TOTAL CIRCULATION	1,379

BETTER BUILD UP RESISTANCE OF POOR-M.O.H.

DR. J. H. WESLEY REPORTS CITY DISCUSSION ON MEASLES CONTROL

200 CASES REPORTED

By DR. J. H. WESLEY, M.O.H.
At the annual meeting of the Ontario Health Officers association held in Toronto this week, the age-old question of the prevention, control and care of measles was discussed by many men from different lands with the usual difference of opinion, and at the end of the discussion it was evident there was no general enlightenment of the public, as the question was approached from an unscientific angle.

Some believed in placarding and some had reasons against it. Some believed in quarantining for 12 to 18 days all children who had been exposed to this disease, and others believed this only helped to prolong the epidemic.

In Newmarket we have had fully 200 cases and no fatalities, with new cases being reported every day. It is seven years since we had such a general epidemic and we were due for the present one. It is generally conceded that measles is the most infectious of the preventable diseases of childhood, and once having had the measles is generally looked upon as a necessary part of the life history of all individuals. Such being the case it stands to reason there is not much to be gained by making such an ado about the pesky little blotches, for you are bound to have them sometime.

I believe there is only one exception to the above and that is (1) Where the first child to come down with the eruption can be promptly quarantined for a period of seven days. (2) Quarantine all the rest of the children of the household, whether they have had measles or not, as there is so much disputable evidence as to previous attacks of measles. (3) Dismiss the pupils of the particular school where the first case occurred, and quarantine every last one of them for a period of seven days.

The above procedures are the only ones that will prevent an epidemic. Even then they will sometimes spread with the lightning rapidity of a prairie fire.

As all our placarding and quarantining measures have failed, I proposed to the department of health that it might be as well to discontinue putting into effect the terms of the act for the prevention of measles, but was informed that such procedure might involve our municipality in a great deal of responsibility.

So this being the case, parents and householders are all asked to conform to the terms of the act referring to measles. All cases must be reported within 24 hours, houses will be placarded for seven days or for seven days from the commencement of the last case, and all contacts must be quarantined for 16 days, and the house placarded accordingly. As loyal British subjects we shall all do our duty in conforming to the law of the land.

Though measles is considered a harmless disease by the laity, all epidemics are usually accompanied by some fatalities, and it always leaves in its wake complications such as conditions of the eyes, ears, nose and throat. Pneumonia is another common complication, and it is usually the undernourished, underweight, underprivileged children who become the victims of this disease. Therefore our efforts would be used to better advantage in protecting the class of children just mentioned by giving the required attention to make them so strong and healthy that they will have the resistance of health, and be able to go through any ordinary sickness with the least possible danger.

COUNCILLORS TAKE TRIP

The annual York county wardens' picnic takes place at Niagara Falls on Friday.



IS VICE-PRESIDENT

Dr. J. G. Cook was elected first vice-president of the Lions club on Monday evening. Dr. Cook served a term some years ago as secretary, and last year was second vice-president. Photo by Budd Studio.



This group gathered at the planting of a blue spruce at Newmarket Bowling Club in memory of the late Leslie Reilly. From left to right appear Robert Large, W. H. Helmer, Horace Cumber, Herbert Whyte, Harold McClelland, H. P. Gilman, Jack Murphy, T. F. Doyle, George Stark, F. H. Hewson, Stanley Jones, H. B. Marshall, Jack King, Al White, C. F. Willis, Vaughan Goring, P. W. Pearson, who planted the tree, and Sidney Rose. Photo by W. M. Cockburn, York county agricultural representative.

Bogart Sale Is Greatest Event Of Kind In 25 Years

FRED SMITH DOESN'T STOP FOR SEVEN AND HALF HOURS

The biggest sale of household chattels in 25 years in this district took place at the home of the late Edgar Bogart, Prospect St., on Saturday afternoon. The proceeds were about \$1,000.

The sale drew rich man and poor man, professional purchasers of antiques, and amateurs. Those in charge of the sale were pleased with the prices.

The fame of the late Edgar Bogart's mysterious collection of antiques was so great that it was agreed, many articles brought considerably more than they were worth. Many articles were cheaply, however, with professional dealers chuckling over their fortunate purchases.

One dealer purchased a pine high-boy for \$23, which came from Pennsylvania with the Bogart U. S. Loyalists. He puts its value at \$100. Another dealer purchased for 25 cents a print of John O'Connor, sculler, on Toronto harbor, which he said he could sell for \$10.

Some paintings by good painters, including one by Coult, the Canadian painter from whom George Mulr of Newmarket at one time took lessons following an introduction by Mr. Bogart, sold for two and three dollars each.

Some quite good early Pennsylvania pottery went cheap in lots including much that was of little value. Walnut dressers which at the average country sale might bring \$5 brought from about \$8 to \$15.

One purchaser got some saddlebags which Mr. Bogart used to any had been used in the American revolutionary war.

The quantity of goods in the house was unbelievable. Some floor coverings, etc. were old but had never been unrolled or used.

F. N. Smith, 25 years an auctioneer, declared that it was the biggest sale of the kind that he had ever conducted. From 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. he never stopped selling; he heard one dollar, give me two, two fifty, give me three. He paused long enough to eat part of a sandwich, but did not dare let his crowd lose interest.

He tried out two clerks, E. A. Boyd and Leslie Mount, and kept the treasurer, Kenneth Bennington, busy. Mr. Smith was hoarse when he finished, but not too hoarse to thank the crowd.

Mr. Smith said that most of the things went to professional buyers. After Newmarket high school and Pickering College had taken all the books they wanted, a dealer bid \$11 for choice on 11 bundles of books and took all 11 bundles, \$122. He quickly picked out the books he wanted, and offered the rest for resale for two or three dollars.

ACQUITTED OF CHARGE FOLLOWING FATALITY

Appearing in county criminal court before Judge O'Connell on Monday, Bernard Douglas Preston, 28, of Newmarket, was acquitted on a charge of dangerous driving arising out of the death of seven-year-old William Wilkinson on the fourth concession of Whitechurch, on Dec. 10 last.

The original manslaughter charge was reduced to a dangerous driving charge in April by a supreme court grand jury.

Twelve-year-old Charles Ireland told the court how he had been walking with the younger boy at the time of the accident. They were walking behind the wagon of Ireland's father, near the centre of the road, when the younger boy stuck his head out to see the horses ahead, he said, and was struck by a passing car. He was left with the lad's mitt in his hand.

SPEAKS AT BARRIE

Jos. McCulley, headmaster of Pickering College, gave the address at the annual speech day of the Owenduff School, Barrie, on Wednesday.

WILL ENACT HOME BUILDING BY-LAW

The necessary by-law to enable home-builders to qualify for dominion government tax subsidies will be introduced in council immediately. N. L. Mathews, M.P., told The Era when informed that some people were said to be waiting for this by-law to start building.

The town has to offer building lots for sale at \$50 each. The dominion government will then pay 100 per cent of the taxes the first year, 50 per cent the second and 25 per cent the third on homes costing up to \$4,000, built within a two-year period from July 1, 1938.

FARMED ALL HIS LIFE, JOHN W. WATSON DIES

The death occurred early Friday morning of John Williamson Watson, Lundy Ave. Mr. Watson, who had not been well for the past ten months, had farmed on the family homestead, Dawes Road, all his life, until about a year and a half ago, when he came here to live with his brother, Wm. H. Watson.

Born on June 13, 1863, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Mark Watson.

Mr. Watson is survived by one brother, Wm. H. Watson, Lundy Ave., two sisters, Mrs. J. Nichol, Agincourt, and Mrs. L. G. Stout, Enchurgh, Victoria Square, two nieces, Mrs. H. W. Williamson, Brandon, Manitoba, and Mrs. Roy Watson, Huron St., six grandchildren and 3 granddaughters.

The funeral service was held from his late residence on Monday afternoon. Rev. R. R. McMath conducted the service. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

The pallbearers were Albert Cox, Thomas Robinson, Arthur Mason, William Robinson, William Nichol and Albert Frisby.

ARE 'SURPRISED' ON SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Taking them by complete surprise, about 30 neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith last Friday evening, on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who had been invited out earlier in the evening, returned later to find that their neighbors had taken complete charge of their house. An enjoyable evening was spent in sing-song and games. The couple were presented with a silver casserole. A dainty lunch brought a pleasant evening to a close.

ATTEND GRADUATION EXERCISES ON SATURDAY

Among those attending the graduation exercises at the Toronto East General hospital on Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Fairley, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fairley, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hunter, Mr. Roy Fairley, Misses Joan Fairley, Joan Hunter, Velma Thompson, Norine Ayers, Marjorie Smith of Buffalo and Mr. and Mrs. W. Large, of Aurora.



WINS HONORS

Miss Jean Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Collins of Orillia and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Collins, Park Ave., Newmarket, has graduated in Arts with honors from Victoria College. She received her B. A. degree at the University of Toronto convocation last Friday. Miss Collins was born in Newmarket, moving to Orillia with her parents in 1922. Photo by Freeland Studio, Toronto.

GORDON HAY HONORED BY FELLOW STUDENTS

Pickering College held its closing banquet on Tuesday evening, and awarded the Garrett cane to Gordon Hay, of West Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Conran Hay.

The cane is presented annually to the student in the graduating class who is voted by members of the class as having made the greatest contribution to school life. Six years ago, Alex. Hay, an older brother, was given the same award.

ARGUMENT SETTLED

The education committee of county council, of which Deputy-Reeve Joseph Vale, Newmarket, is chairman, settled an argument with Forest Hill Village this week. The village has been created a continuation school area, and makes no further contribution to the county for education purposes. The county contended that the payment made in 1938 was for 1937 and that the village still owed the county for 1938. The amount was \$21,800. The village contended that educational payments were for the current year, but finally made a settlement of \$16,500.

WILL CONDUCT MUSIC EXAMS

Weldon Kilburn, A. T. C. M., L. R. S. M., will conduct current examinations for the Toronto Conservatory of Music in Newmarket on June 24.



IS NEW OFFICER

J. S. Law of the Dixon Penell Co. was elected as second vice-president of Newmarket Lions club on Monday evening. Last year Mr. Law was the club Tall-Twister, that is, collector of fines and song-leader.

Sutton Earns Title Of 'Team To Watch' With 6 To 5 Victory

MILROY'S STEADY PITCHING HOLDS ACE RED BATSMEN DOWN

REDMEN START LATE

By AUBREY TIMMINS

Sutton's entry in the York Simcoe softball league defeated Newmarket Redmen by a score of 6-5 in a close, hard-fought game before a fair crowd at Sutton park Tuesday evening. Fine pitching on the part of both teams was a feature of the game.

Giles, for Newmarket, started the game by flying out to left field. Hilton bunted safely and advanced to second and third while Peters was at bat. Peters also flew out to short left field, Gibney retiring the side by striking out.

As Sutton came to bat Carson Fairbairn flew out to left field, McKenzie being put out on a fly to right field. Robertson struck out to retire the side.

Cain was passed, Cunninghamham reached first by virtue of a fielder's choice. Neufeld was thrown out at first. Cain and Cunninghamham scored on Welch's double. Mitchell was thrown out at first by Fairbairn.

Hamilton struck out, Smith flew out to short left. Doble was thrown out at first by Red Mitchell.

Peters and Gibney failed to reach first; Cain reached first on an error and scored on Cunninghamham's hit. Cunninghamham was thrown out at second.

Bruce Fairbairn hit a fast ball through the infield, but was put out when he tried to reach second base. Milroy was put out by a throw from third. Bruce Robertson reached first and scored on Carson Fairbairn's double. Fairbairn scored on McKenzie's play.

McKenzie reached first on an error; Robertson striking out to retire the side. The score, Newmarket 3, Sutton 2.

In the first half of the fourth inning Neufeld, Welch and Mitchell were put out in order. In the last half Gar. Hamilton and L. Smith struck out. Doble got a hit and scored on Fairbairn's double.

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SERVE MEALS

Welcome, old boys and girls. The ladies of Trinity United church will be prepared to serve you meals at moderate rates when you visit the old town on July 1. Look for posters. Adv't.

FIRST PATIENT POURS TEA ON OCCASION OF SUTTON HOSPITAL'S 13TH ANNIVERSARY

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NURSES GRADUATE

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In the first of the fifth Giles, Hilton and Peters were put out in order.

The last half saw C. Fairbairn and Art McKenzie thrown out at first. Robertson, who followed, struck out.

Milroy struck out Gibney, Cain and Cunninghamham to retire Newmarket in the sixth inning.

Hamilton struck out. Smith flew out to right field. Doble was given a base on balls. B. Fairbairn was put out at first.

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WANT MATHEWS PUT ON SALARY

N. L. Mathews, K. C., assistant crown attorney for the county of York, is in future to prosecute only serious charges, in Newmarket police court, until his remuneration is changed by the provincial government from fees to salary, according to instructions issued by York county council on Tuesday.

J. D. Lucas, county solicitor, stated that unless specially requested to do so, an assistant crown attorney should not appear in summary conviction cases. He stated that the magistrate, or the municipality, or the chief of police might require the services of the crown attorney in these less important cases.

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N. S. Anderson, United church minister. The first patient at the hospital, Mrs. M. O. Tremayne, poured tea. Also pouring were Mrs. Wm. Pugsley, wife of the reeve of Sutton and Mrs. N. S. Anderson. Mrs. H. Taylor and Mrs. Wm. Sellers, and the leaders and members of the C. G. I. T. assisted.

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HOW TO BECOME A NEWSPAPER PERSON

Sometimes young people ask the writer how to get a start in newspaper work. In the first place, we have to admit that it may be difficult due to the strong appeal this calling has for so many people. Romantic Hollywood pictures of newspaper life haven't done anything to lessen the pressure. There are many to whom the apparently gay, care-free, devil-may-care life of the city news-room, as portrayed by the movies, appeals, but there are many others to whom the real appeal is writing or news-gathering. While the number of opportunities to start with newspapers as cub reporters is obviously limited, the room for journalists or free-lance writers able to produce material for magazines is unlimited. Anyone with a genuine interest in and liking for writing would therefore seem foolish to be discouraged by the initial difficulty in securing the usual schooling of newspaper work.

Newspaper Correspondent Ladder

The advice we usually give is we think sound and we have just seen an outstanding demonstration of its practicality. Our advice to the person unable to get a reporter's job is to get a job as a local correspondent for a daily newspaper, work hard at it, and on the basis of two or three years work try to get a chance in the office of the newspaper for which he or she (she, incidentally, do have a tough time getting into newspaper work, though they seem to write more magazine articles and stories than the hes) is corresponding. If the correspondent has been a real success, the newspaper will try to keep him or her where he or she is, but once in a while a newspaper weakens and a local correspondent becomes a reporter.

A True Story

Seven or eight years ago there was a young farm boy living, we believe, seven or eight miles from Milton, with a desire to get into newspaper work. He got himself appointed Milton correspondent for a Toronto evening newspaper, and daily for two or three years he went back and forth from his home to Milton by foot or bicycle, and "covered" the news of that little county town in both rain and shine. There was lots of news in Milton when he was looking for it. Then one day, after a lot of persistence, he got promoted to the city staff. That happened five years ago.

Not A Hollywood Camera

The newspaper has developed him into a reporter and camera-man and on Wednesday he was sent with Gordon Sinclair, Gregory Clark, Frederick Griffin and two or three other top-notch reporters to represent his newspaper at Niagara Falls while the king and queen were there. Through the fortunes of war, or camera juxtaposition, he got the best story of all his colleagues and in Friday's Toronto Star there was the Milton farm boy's story, under his name, spread across two columns at the top of the front page, followed by the stories of more experienced, and better known men. The farm boy got a break, but he worked for it, and he walked for it.

BUILDING ACTIVITY

Building activity in Newmarket this spring and summer has been disappointing. There has been considerable, including a good volume of repair work, but builders and carpenters felt that they could look this year for a number of new houses. It now appears that this summer will not compare at all favorably with either 1937 or 1938. One builder told The Era that the town council's failure to pass a by-law offering lots for sale at \$50 each, to qualify new houses for dominion gov-

ernment tax subsidies, was to blame for the lack of new houses. There were several people ready to build, he said, but naturally they are hanging back, waiting for this subsidy. Under dominion government legislation, in effect since July 1, 1938, houses built within a two-year period, or houses costing up to \$4,000, in municipalities where the required by-law has been passed, are qualified for this help. The dominion government will pay 100 per cent of the first year's taxes and, we believe, 50 per cent of the second year's and 25 per cent of the third year's.

Salesmanship Ever Needed

It seems to us that governments "fall down on the job" of making known to the public what legislation has been passed. A government should do educational work, such as is done by the provincial department of highways, or the dominion and provincial departments of agriculture. The dominion government should not content itself with the passing of legislation, but should convince the public of its value and urge the public to make use of it. Since the dominion government has not sufficiently impressed on the public the value of this legislation, however, the builders themselves or the citizens who want to build should take the initiative and have their municipal councils implement the legislation.

Orillia's Experience

We don't suppose, however, that passing of this by-law will bring a housing boom. We quote Orillia's experience from the Packet and Times: "The need for more houses in Orillia is as great as ever. An advertisement of a house to rent in last week's Packet and Times brought over 30 replies. A young business man who contemplated taking a wife in the leafy month of June, complained the other day he was finding it impossible to get a home for his bride. Arrangements have been completed for the construction of about half a dozen houses under the Dominion Housing Act. But for some reason the act is not being taken advantage of to anything like the extent that the number of enquires early in the season indicated as likely."

WHERE'S THAT REPORT

Members of the town council have been so busy discussing Newmarket's new phantom (as it proved) industry that the water and light committee have not risen to the bait offered in these columns regarding the electric light report. There were one or two jokes about off-peak power at the last council meeting but that was all. We have nothing more to say at the moment about off-peak power but we feel that we should repeat the invitation to Mr. Evans to publish the promised report on personnel of the electric light department. Reeve F. A. Lundy asked the committee whether Mr. Rachar had proved a profitable investment. Mr. Evans promised that Mr. McClymont would report on personnel. Did Mr. McClymont make such a report? Was it a written report or verbal? And what was the nature of the report? The public paid the piper and the public should hear the tune. We suspect that the report was in Mr. Rachar's favor, but we would like to see it anyway.

Flows Like Water, But Isn't

As a matter of fact, a town council is a rather cumbersome body to deal with the technical problems arising out of administration of an electric light system. The council can settle water problems satisfactorily, because water is something you can taste. You can't taste electricity, and so the average man's opinion on the kind of electricity being delivered to him isn't valuable. Mr. Evans, however, is making a study of the electric light plant, and Mr. Vale has done some studying too, so that there are at least two members of the council who are pretty well informed on the town's electrical problems. No doubt some of the others are now studying the McClymont report. We will see when the report is discussed again in council.

More Time, More Enterprise

The point we were going to make was that, other things being equal, the system would be better handled by a commission. Barrie's public utilities commission, for instance, has just conducted a four months campaign, in co-operation with local merchants, and has put 363 new electric stoves in Barrie homes. That's enterprise which a committee of a town council could hardly be expected to show.

50 YEARS AGO

From Era file, June 14, 1889

Miss Blake of Niagara is visiting at Rev. J. W. Bell's.
Mr. A. B. Hatcher of Toronto was in town Wednesday.
Miss P. May of Pine Orchard is visiting Mrs. Esther Dennis this week.
Messrs. Frank Millard and Clate Armistage of Toronto were in town on Sunday.
Master Carl Lloyd is home from the Brantford Institute for the summer holidays.
Mr. Geo. Worthington is back in town again to assist at Bogart's Art Gallery for the summer.
Miss Martha Rogers of Toronto is visiting her cousins in town for a few weeks.
Mrs. Walter Purdy and two children of Gravenhurst are visiting Mrs. Purdy, Victoria St.
Mr. John Lannoy was visiting in Collingwood on Monday evening.
Miss Charlotte E. Rogers of Yonge St. left last week to spend the summer at the lake.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lowe and family of Montreal were visiting Mr. Lowe's parents for a few days.
Mrs. L. Morrow of Toronto returned home Tuesday evening after having spent a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Haines.
Mr. Well Roman has accepted a position in Toronto.
Rev. L. W. Hill is attending conference in Toronto this week. Mr. John Gardner will occupy the pulpit here next Sunday.
Mr. N. Holford of Toronto was in town on Tuesday renewing acquaintances.
Elder C. H. Halner left on Tuesday to attend the Ontario Christian conference, assembled at Altona.
Mr. Geo. Montgomery left on

Tuesday night for Powassan, where he is promoted to station master on the G. T. R., 21 miles this side of North Bay.

Mrs. W. W. Smith, Miss L. Stephens, Mrs. McCracken, Mrs. D. Lloyd and Mrs. E. Jackson are attending the W.C.T.U. convention in the city this week.

Miss Cal. Morrison, youngest daughter of Mr. R. P. Morrison, left for Erie, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, to spend the summer with her brother and sister.

JORN—On Yonge St., June 10, to Mr. and Mrs. John Praetor, a son.

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, June 12, 1914

Mrs. Grandy and daughter of Harrison are visiting relatives in town for a week or so.

Miss Hazel Wright of Toronto spent the weekend with Miss Lulu Collins.

Mr. S. P. Caldwell of Rochester, N. Y., visited his sister, Mrs. Moses Bogart, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steekley and Mr. and Mrs. Dalziel, visited Dr. and Mrs. Hutt at Orchard Beach.

Miss Florence Stouffer of Chicago, Ill., is spending a week's vacation at the home of her father, Mr. A. Stouffer.

Messrs. Fred Grandy and Arthur Monkman of Barrie were Sunday guests of Mr. H. S. Cane.

Mr. Walter Brodie visited his parents in Toronto on Sunday.

Very Rev. Dean Harris was calling on old friends in town last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whitmer leave for Scotland next Thursday. They expect to be away a great part of the summer.

BOAT—In Whitechurch, June 7, to Mr. and Mrs. David Kenil, a daughter.

MARRIED—On June 2, at John

St. English church, Toronto, by Rev. Dr. Moore, Martha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morning at Arthur F. Thompson, both of Newmarket.

MARRIED—In Newmarket, June 10, by Elder D. Prosser at his residence, Prospect Ave., W. A. Patenden of Gravenhurst to Miss Della King of Haldimand.

DIED—In Newmarket, on June 6, Emma, widow of Mark Brown, in her 68th year.

LITTLE GIRL PRESENTS

POSSY FROM CHURCH

All roads on Tuesday, June 6, led to Zephyr, and along the C.N.R. route east to Mount Albert. So this community was deserted as its residents flocked with other thousands of citizens in an effort to catch a passing glimpse of their majesties as they returned east from their successful western tour.

At Zephyr station the royal train stopped to take on water for four minutes. Hundreds cheered themselves hoarse when their majesties appeared on the observation platform of the train as it stood for the few minutes.

Four and a half year old Marvin Wallack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wallack, Roche's Point, had a thrill of her life when a member of the R.M.P. took her bouquet of flowers and handed it to the queen, who in turn graciously acknowledged and accepted Marvin's little gift. The bouquet consisted of lily of the valley, taken from Christ's church grounds, with a sprig of hennip from Scotland, bound with Cameron and Tartan ribbon.

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The Common Round

GARDENING

By Isabel Inglis Colville

I wonder how many of the people who are kind enough to say they read this column, are gardeners—amateur, advanced amateur, or just haphazard gardeners?

I belong to the last class—anything I do, I do because I want to—not because of any set rule or pattern, with the result that sometimes I have beauty and sometimes confusion, but all the same I've no doubt I get as much pleasure out of my experiments as do those who garden by book, lectures, experience, legend, and what not.

However, I am not like the adder "who stoppeth her ears." I am open to suggestions—especially if they fall in line with what I want to do.

So when I heard that "Dick, the Amateur Gardener," was to lecture in Bogartown school, I asked the head of the house if he would kindly convey me to the school in the family chariot.

Said I, craftily, for it's hard to lure my better half away from his evening delving and digging in the earth. "You know you are planning a rock garden, and maybe you'll get some hints."

So behold us on the night of the 26th, scurrying round, getting ready, at a time when, if we were very weary, we might be seeking our couches for S. T. and D. S. T. don't mix well.

Well, we didn't regret the scurrying, for soon we were lost in a maze of blooming beauty.

One saw how waste places could be made to "blossom like the rose," and a common or garden variety of backyard bloom into a very wilderness of beauty.

One thing on which he turned my thoughts topsy-turvy was the time to water plants. No matter what came or went, I felt I MUST water my plants in the evening.

Then along comes this young gardener, and knocks my firmly rooted theory into a cocked hat; for, says he, "Plants don't like to go to bed with wet feet. SO—water them in the morning!"

Then, when I had dahlias, I had always put in more than one tuber, if two or three happened to be joined together, but I learned I was all wrong. "ONE measly tuber," said this Dick, with authority. "First, your well fertilized earth, then a layer of sand, then your dahlia, with the buds about an inch below the surface," and another thing, he told us to place

our supporting sticks beside the tuber whenever it was put in, instead of waiting till it was above ground, and in the cases of all flowers, he said that a little fertilizer often applied was better than a lot at long intervals; and recommended barnyard manure mixed with commercial fertilizer as the ideal plant food.

He told us that watering roses at night was responsible for much of the mildew, from which so many roses suffer, and he showed us how to prune our roses.

He said that if a great strong new stem came up on a rose bush, to let it stay, for if it had roses all along that stalk, it would be a thing of beauty and a joy forever, and, ladies and gentlemen, I have just such a stalk on my white rose—it's taller than I, and jammed with buds throughout its length—so am I proud?

He said that the walk from the schoolhouse gate to the schoolhouse could be bordered with a wide band of petunias, at a cost of a quarter—he showed us one of the same way, and how it relieved the bareness that too often is the setting for our seats of learning, especially the little red country schoolhouses.

We saw the terrible devastation wrought by fire—in most cases due to carelessness, and in sharp contrast, the marvellous reforestation work which is helping to renew our water supply and fill in the bare places in our vast land.

And we saw such roses, dahlias, peonies, gladioli, lilies and shrubs, as one imagines in one's dream garden, and we felt as we looked, and drank in their beauty, that armed with new knowledge, we could go to work and cultivate just such beauties.

We were shown how we might have pools in which water lilies float and goldfish swim—these pools kept free from slime and impurities by ONE crystal of permanganate of potash. The lilies to be planted in a box of rich earth, then a layer of sand put round them and placed in the pool. I have two small pools, but a water lily would fill the pool, so I'll either have to enlarge the pools or propagate a lily to fit their present dimensions.

Anyway, all who listened to "Dick, the Amateur Gardener," came away with a new vision of flowers and how to care for them.



THE NUTHATCHES DISCUSS SOME NEIGHBORS

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"That little Wood Pewee singing 'de-ar-ee, de-ar-ee, de-ar-ee,' is such a sweet sound to listen to," said Hattie Nuthatch to her mate, Nutty Nuthatch. "And you couldn't want a nicer, shyer little bird than the Wood Pewee. Some people think they are insignificant, because they are so plainly dressed, olive-green little birds, but I think they're so sweet and gentle that everyone should love them."

"It's too bad you can't say the same of some of their relatives," commented Nutty drily.

"Why, what do you mean?" inquired Hattie. "The Phoebe are very nice, too. I've become extremely friendly with the family of Phoebe living over there under the beams of that tiny bridge crossing the stream, and they've been very nice to me, indeed. It's true their continual cry of 'phoe-be, phoe-be,' gets a little monotonous, but then, I'm sure they don't realize that other people don't always appreciate it. They certainly look like the Wood Pewees, too, don't they? I can hardly tell them apart. I know the Wood Pewee has longer wings, and is a little bit smaller, but, of course, the surest way is to go by their songs."

"I wasn't referring to the Phoebe when I suggested that the Pewees had objectionable relatives," Nutty finally was able to say. "I like them both. I meant some of the other bigger members of the Flycatcher family."

"Who?" asked Hattie.

"I was thinking of the Kingbirds," said Nutty. "You will agree with me that they haven't quite as nice personalities as they might have. The way they dive and dart so fiercely at anyone who goes anywhere near their nests annoys me very much. They go after great big birds just as much as little ones, too, so I suppose they should be given credit for being brave. It's not as if they could do anyone any harm, after all."

"I know they particularly love chasing and tormenting Crows," said Hattie. "That reminds me, do you know why the Kingbirds are sometimes called Bee Martins?"

"Because they are supposed to enjoy eating honey bees," said Nutty. "As a matter of fact, I don't think they eat very many of them, and the ones they do eat are mostly drones and no good anyway. But somehow they got a reputation for that. In fact,

there's an old story, which I'm sure isn't true, that they used to lure the bees by flashing that little orange crest they have on their heads, which they show when they get excited. The bee would think this was a flower and go over to it, and be caught."

"I agree, it sounds kind of far-fetched," said Hattie. "There's a Kingbird now. He's quite a handsome bird, really, with that black and white coloring, white breast and underparts, dark head, back, wings and tail. And that even white band on the tip of his tail is certainly smart. He's quite a bit bigger than the Phoebe, isn't he?"

"And there's another Flycatcher that I don't particularly like," Nutty said, continuing with his original point, "although perhaps he isn't as unbecomingly as the Kingbird. He's a little bigger than the Kingbird and while the Kingbird is a bird of the fields and fences, this cousin of his is definitely a bird of the woods. Do you know whom I mean?"

"I guess you're thinking of the Great Crested Flycatcher," said Hattie. "He's big and noisy and loves the woods. That loud, hoarse call of his, something like 'whoeep' is quite disturbing. He has another short, squawky call, too."

"He's not a bad-looking chap, either," admitted Nutty. "He's olive-brown, with a light grey throat and breast, and yellow underparts. His long tail is a kind of brownish red."

"I've never liked him since I discovered how fond his family is of using cast-off snake skins to line their tree-hole with," said Hattie. "Imagine enjoying having things like that in your nest. They nest in old Woodpeckers' holes, you know, and I remember I was once looking at a nest, and it had apparently been vacated by a Great Crested Flycatcher, because I discovered pieces of snakeskin in there. Believe me, as soon as I realized what they were, I hustled out. Ugh!"

"Oh, well," said Nutty. "We all have our peculiarities. And, though, as we say, we may not like some of the Flycatchers personally, we'll have to admit that they catch a great many insect pests, big insects, which they catch on the wing, and that they are therefore very useful birds."

"And the beauty of it is, as far as we other birds are concerned," added Hattie, "that they don't eat the small insects that we want. Imagine trying to catch an insect on the wing. I



Non-aggression pacts between Germany and Estonia and Germany and Latvia were signed in Berlin on June 7. On the same day "Pravda," official organ of Soviet Russia, stated Soviet Russia's minimum conditions for joining the peace front and these include the categorical demand that Great Britain, France and Soviet Russia shall aid the three Baltic states against violation of their neutrality by an aggressor.

Veteran of many an unusual debate in the House of Commons, Viscountess Astor offered a deer park in the Scottish highlands to a Scottish Labor member to win her point in an argument, on Tuesday. The member accepted.

A woman's ability to wield a broom handle drove a hold-up man from a grocery store in Toronto on Tuesday night where he is claimed to have slugged an elderly man over the head in an attempt to rob.

Marlene Dietrich, was said to have walked out of a night club because another woman there had on the same kind of a costume. Miss Dietrich said later, "I left because I had other engagements. I didn't see any other woman with a dress like mine."

Delegates from all sections of Ontario will assemble for the annual convention of the Young Canada Conservative clubs to be held at the King Edward hotel, Toronto, on Saturday, June 17.

REUNION LETTERS

16 Pearl St. S.,
Hamilton, Ont.,
June 5, 1939.

Dear Sir:

I would like to have my name entered on the list for the reunion up there this month. My name was Elsie Gregory, and I went to Alexander Muir school. My mother's name was Hazel Potter.

Sincerely,
Elsie Fletcher.

Wauhaushene,
June 3, 1939.

Thank you for your invitation to attend the reunion. I feel sure it will prove a splendid success.

I was born in Newmarket and my first day in school was with Annie and Maggie Alexander in Miss Gleason's room. Robert Alexander was principal at that time. When in the second room, I received, along with others, a strap- going from Alexander Muir, for going out of bounds. Later I was under Mr. Dickinson and Mr. Rennie. At high school I was under Dr. Morrison and J. E. Dickson, the latter the finest of them all.

Your mention of bicycle races reminds me of the first bicycle race held on the fair grounds about 1878, in which the competitors were George Lundy, Johnny Hughes and myself. George won. The old high wheels with hard rubber tires made hard going on the sandy track.

I shall hope to renew acquaintance with some of my old schoolmates.

Yours very truly,
C. P. Stocking.

Dear Sirs:

Many thanks for your kind invitation, and I certainly enjoyed looking over the list of names, so many I know. But of course, I visit Newmarket quite often, having a sister living there, Mrs. Frank Playter, so I hope to spend the three days there with my sister, and be able to see all I can of the different ones. You have my name on the list, and my name was Cassie Connor.

I will also send a couple of names, I do not know if you have had these names or not. Mrs. Fred Shoemaker (Kate Howard), Mr. Fred Toole, Goderich; Mr. Ross Toole, 369 Soudan Ave., Toronto.

Many thanks for the bulletin, and I am sure I will be glad to meet old school friends, Mr. Rennie being the principal when I was there.

Sincerely,
C. E. Peacey.

102 King St. W.,
Brookville, Ont.

Dear Sir:

We wish to thank you for your kind invitation to be present at the reunion in our old home town, and will make every effort to be present.

Sincerely yours,
Mr. and Mrs. M. Broughton,
(nee Ruth King)

212-9th St., Saskatoon.

Gentlemen:

I was very much pleased when I received word about the Old Timers' Reunion but didn't think there was any possible chance that I could make the trip again this year, as I went east last year. However, I would like you to add my name to the list of old timers as at present I am expecting to be with you and am looking forward to a wonderful time.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. W. J. Holliday,
(nee Lillian Lush)

212-9th St., Saskatoon.

Dear Sirs:

I am sending in another name to your list as my friend, Mrs. J. Miller (nee Minnie Adams) would like to be at the reunion, so could you send her an invitation, and I wonder if I could do it.

"I wouldn't try," advised Nutty. "You'd probably land on your bill down there on the ground and wonder what had happened to you."

am sure it is very nice to read the news and list of names. It sure seems like old times, even if you don't see them.

Wishing the committee the best of luck and good weather.
Yours truly,
Mrs. Jas. Bell.

R. D. Z.
Corfu, New York.

Gentlemen:

Thank you very much for the invitation and bulletins which we have received to attend your reunion. During the 13 years we have lived in Batavia and Corfu, we have not been able to get back to Newmarket very often, and have lost track of many of my husband's old schoolmates and friends. We noticed our name was listed a little wrong. It is Harold A. Doddmeade (not A. Doddmeade).

If at all possible we will be there for at least a part of your program. At present we are trying to arrange our work so that we can get away. I notice that you ask for information for identification tags, but think I have given all you need above.

Again thanking you for your invitation, and the interesting bulletins, which we have enjoyed reading thoroughly.

Yours sincerely,
Olive M. Doddmeade,
(Mrs. Harold A. Doddmeade).

FORMER SCHOOL TEACHER WILL ATTEND REUNION

In response to an invitation to meet his pupils of former years on Friday, June 30, the following letter was received from Waldon Lawr, whom Newmarket people will recall as a science teacher at the high school. Mr. Lawr, now a K. C., is practising law in Toronto.

"I have your letter of May 31, and will be pleased to accept your kind invitation to attend the Old Boys' Reunion at Newmarket. I note that a number of the old teachers are to be present on this occasion, and I can assure you that the meeting with such teachers will be a pleasure to me. Undoubtedly you will have a big turnout.

Yours faithfully,
Waldon Lawr.

A Change of Kirk

A minister confided to his old friend that he was considering an invitation to another parish at a marked increase in salary.

"What I do not know for sure," he said, "is that this is really a call."

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POLICE COURT

BEER DRINKING MINOR
FINED AS RECKLESS

Convicted on a charge of vagrancy William Abbs, Ravenshoe, was fined \$10 and costs, or ten days, by Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe in police court here on Tuesday. There were 67 cases on the court list but several adjournments were given and so the session was not so lengthy.

Abbs pleaded guilty to the vagrancy charge, K. M. R. Stiver acting as defence counsel.

"On June 2 at 12:30 a.m. I received a call from County Constable R. Watt saying that he had received a complaint from Joe Curran, Holland Landing," testified Constable Roy Forsythe, Holland Landing, in answer to N. L. Mathews, K. C. crown counsel. "I went to Curran's and noticed a car standing near the road. I pulled out my flashlight but couldn't see anyone in the car or around it. I walked up to the house and under the back porch I found Abbs, who was dead drunk. He smelled strongly of liquor and he was so drunk that I brought him down to the Newmarket jail for the night."

Four charges laid against Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holley, Holland Landing, as the result of two raids made on their premises by the R. C. M. P., were adjourned another week. Defence Counsel Campbell Line, Richmond Hill, presented a certificate from Dr. S. J. Boyd stating that Mrs. Holley was sick and unable to attend. The magistrate ordered that a warrant be issued and executed next week if Mrs. Holley is not sick and doesn't appear at court.

Two charges of keeping liquor for sale laid against Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cutting, Newmarket, and Percy Lloyd, Aurora, were each adjourned one week.

Four charges of having illegal possession of liquor laid against Harold Murphy, Albert E. Smith, Howard J. Little, and Graham E. Durant, all of Chesleville, by Constable F. Dunham, Aurora, were adjourned one week.

Convicted on a reckless driving charge, Charles Leduc, Pefferlaw, was fined \$15 and costs of \$15, or ten days. On a second charge, of not having an operator's license, Leduc was remanded for sentence. Leduc pleaded guilty to the reckless driving charge. A similar charge of reckless driving laid against Charles McKay, Woodville, owner of the car which Leduc was driving, was withdrawn.

"On May 28, at 1:30 a.m., the car owned by McKay and driven by Leduc was in a collision with a car driven by R. Smallwood, Baldwin," testified County Constable Alex. McCallum. "The accident occurred half a mile north of Pefferlaw and I found the McKay car, which had been proceeding east, facing south-east on the road. The McKay car had been approaching the county road but had failed to stop at the stop sign and it pulled in front of the Smallwood car. There were four skid marks left by the McKay car, and one skid mark was four feet long and it started four feet from the west edge of the pavement, which is 18 feet wide. The Smallwood car turned over two or three times and the top was bent in the rear window broken and the running-board damaged. The amount of damage to the Smallwood car was \$75 and to the McKay car about \$20. Leduc, the driver of the McKay car, had been drinking but he was not intoxicated. There is a stop sign at the corner but Leduc did not stop."

"Is there a sand-pile at the corner?" asked the defence counsel. "Yes, but you can see up the road half a mile before you get to it," answered Constable McCallum. "McKay, who is the owner of the car, is willing to pay damages for the Smallwood car and we called on him this morning but he hadn't a bill for his damages," stated defence counsel.

The defence counsel also stated that Leduc hadn't had an operator's license for three or four years as he didn't have a car. Leduc is a farm laborer and he works for McKay. He was trying to pay for it with his wages, defence counsel said.

The magistrate dismissed a charge of reckless driving against Harry Esler, Toronto, after he reserved judgment for one week. The evidence on the charge was given last week when Lawrence Pollock, Sutton, testified that he crashed into the back of the Esler car with his motor-cycle as the car turned into a lane but projected on the highway.

"I have considered the evidence and I have come to the conclusion that it is more a case for the civil courts than for this court and I will give you the benefit of the doubt and dismiss the charge," Magistrate Woodliffe told Esler.

After pleading guilty last week to two charges of theft, a 19-year-old Holland Landing girl was given suspended sentence and placed on probation for one year under the responsibility of the Toronto Salvation Army. The charges were of taking \$202 in money from the store of S. R. Goodwin, Holland Landing, and also of taking several articles from the drug-store of W. J. Patterson, Newmarket.

"The Toronto Salvation Army are willing to take the responsibility for the girl and they have arranged for her to be put in a proper home in Toronto," Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K.C., told the magistrate. "I don't think the girl should be allowed to go back to Holland Landing and at this home she will be kept and trained and given a small remuneration for her work. She is willing to go there to work, so I suggest that she be remanded for sentence and remain at this home in Toronto."

"You had better not be back here on any such charge as this," Magistrate Woodliffe told the girl. "I will suspend sentence and place you on probation but you must go to this place and behave yourself. You must not leave this place without the consent of the probation officer and further you must obey his instructions, whatever they may be."

For having his truck overloaded with soda to the extent of 2,040 pounds, Harry Tomsett, Toronto, was fined \$10 and costs. Marjorie Tomsett, who pleaded guilty for her father, stated that her father kept adding tonnage to his truck license but that the constables usually caught him with an overload.

For failing to turn left Gordon Wood, Toronto, was fined \$5 and costs. Provincial Constable A. O. Ferguson stated that there was an accident at Oak Ridges when the car driven by Paul Endress stopped to pick up some hitch-hikers, and the truck driven by Wood, coming behind, was unable to stop and went into the car, which was slightly damaged.

On a charge of obstructing traffic, Norman Wall, Toronto, was fined \$5 and costs. Constable K. Mount, Newmarket, testified that the Wall car was parked two feet out from the curb on Main St. and there was not room for two cars to pass, as the car was out so far on the road.

"The car was there for half an hour as I was unable to find the driver," the constable stated.

A. L. Howard, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Provincial Constable A. O. Ferguson. Frederick Biss, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Robert M. Sherwood, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson. Samuel Hollingsworth, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

E. L. Copper, Toronto, attempting to pass another car, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson. Harry C. Munott, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

George Buckner, Toronto, speeding, \$15 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson. A second charge against Buckner of not having an operator's license was dismissed.

Hewitt Hunwicks, New Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson. Leslie Herlick, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Talith Goodman, Toronto, failed to produce a commercial motor vehicle permit, \$10 and costs, charge laid by County Constable R. Watt.

Arthur Doherty, Toronto, speeding, 40 m.p.h., \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable K. Mount, Newmarket.

George Glenn, Richmond Hill, enter stop street, \$1 and costs, charge laid by Constable Mount. J. J. Haight, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable F. Dunham, Aurora.

Paul Newall, Port Credit, speeding, \$7 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham. W. K. Bean, Camp Borden, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Elizabeth Fogle, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham. H. D. McNamara, Toronto, speeding, \$12 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Gertrude Angles, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham. Can. General Electric Co., Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

A. M. Strong Dewitt, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham. George Rose, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

George Hagan, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham. Clifford Wichman, Gravenhurst, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

Marjorie Clark, Toronto, speeding, \$7 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham. Beverly Quinze, Barrie, speeding, \$7 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham.

S. Bailey, Toronto, speeding, \$9 and costs, charge laid by Constable Dunham. Jack Greenup, Toronto, speeding, \$13 and costs, charge laid by Constable J. Jardine.

On a charge of reckless driving Alex C. Johnston, Barrie, was fined \$15 and costs of \$10.40, or ten days, and in addition his driver's license was cancelled for two months. K. M. R. Stiver was defence counsel.

"I am the driver for a Sutton dairy and my truck was involved in an accident with Johnston's car on June 10 at 2:30 a.m. about half a mile north of Keswick," testified Samuel Pegg, Keswick, in answer to the questioning of Crown Attorney Mathews.

"I was proceeding east on the gravel road toward Keswick and I stopped at the stop sign on the gravel road about 30 feet from the pavement. Another car driven by Johnston failed to make the curve on the pavement, and it hit some gravel on the road. The force of the bump sent the car up into the air and then it struck my truck and was damaged beyond repair."

"Johnston was driving about 50 m.p.h. and he didn't slow down at all and he hit me going at that speed. My truck was old, as it was a 1930 or 31 model. The car was also badly damaged in the collision. I talked to Johnston after the accident and he appeared quite normal but I could smell liquor on his breath. He didn't stagger when he walked."

"What did Johnston tell you after the accident?" asked Mr. Stiver. "He said he didn't know there was a stop sign on the road," answered Mr. Pegg. "Is there a drift of gravel just off the pavement?" "Yes."

"When did you dim your lights?" "I dimmed mine just after Johnston dimmed his."

Constable Carl Morton testified that there was an illuminated curve sign on the road Johnston was travelling and that there was no reason or obstruction for anyone not to see the sign.

"The car was facing south-east and the rear wheels were in the ditch when I arrived, but the truck was in the same position as it was before the impact," Constable Morton stated. "The car was damaged to the extent of \$350 and it was a 1936 Chevrolet. Johnston appeared fairly normal but his breath smelled of liquor and his face was flushed. Johnston told me that he thought the pavement extended farther west before the curve."

"Were there any skid marks on the road or any indication that Johnston had applied his brakes?" asked Mr. Stiver. "No," answered Constable Morton.

"Do you accept the explanation given to you by Johnston as being reasonable?" "Yes," answered Mr. Stiver.

"No," as all the roads at that corner are on an up-grade and if he didn't follow the curve he would have to go up the grade."

County Constable Alex. McCallum also testified that he could see no reason for anyone not to see the curve sign if his lights were on.

"I left Newmarket with another young fellow around 9 p.m. and we went to Jackson's Point," testified Johnston. "We went to a hotel there and I had three glasses of beer. It was around 11 o'clock when we left the hotel and then we went over and danced till shortly before it closed at 1 a.m. fast time. Then we went and had a couple of hamburgers and the accident occurred on the way back to Newmarket between 2:15 and 2:30."

"I was proceeding west on the pavement and I saw the curve sign. I also saw the lights on the truck and I took it for granted that the truck was on the pavement also, as he dimmed his lights after me. I thought the road turned behind his truck and when I got up to it and saw the curve I didn't think I could safely make it so I went on and then the gravel threw me into the truck."

"How old are you?" asked Mr. Mathews. "Nineteen," answered Johnston.

"At what hotel did you get the beer?" "I don't know."

"Don't you know it is against the law for a minor to buy beer?" "Yes."

"Did you slacken your speed before the impact?" "Yes, I slackened my speed but didn't apply the brakes."

"I submit that this is not a case of reckless driving," stated Mr. Stiver in addressing the magistrate. "Unfortunately Johnston had three drinks but the circumstances should be taken into consideration. There was a curve in the road and with the fact that the truck was facing him it is very reasonable for Johnston to think that the curve was behind the truck. The explanation is a fair and reasonable one and it is not reckless driving but a mistake in judgment."

"I can't agree with you, as the accused was driving too fast and he saw the curve and the truck, and I find him guilty of driving in a manner dangerous to the public," stated Magistrate Woodliffe.

Joseph Goldstein, Oak Ridges, was ordered to pay wages of \$98 owing to Harry Blekmere, within one week or else serve 30 days in jail. A. J. G. Wilson, Aurora, was defence counsel.

Blekmere testified that he worked at Goldstein's service station for eight weeks and that he was supposed to receive \$15 a week but instead he received only \$12 in the eight weeks.

"When I asked for my wages he said he would pay me in a couple of weeks and then after I laid the charge Goldstein told me he would take the case to the Toronto courts, where he could win the case through politics," stated Blekmere.

"Blekmere was there when I took over the premises and things did not go very well, so I told him I would pay him later but I made no agreement with him," Goldstein stated. "I said I was going to close up and he said, don't do that as we would lose customers, and he said he would stay on," said Goldstein.

"Didn't you send a letter to Blekmere from Brooklyn promising to pay him his wages?" asked Mr. Wilson.

"Yes," answered Goldstein. "Didn't you assign your business to your wife while you were away in the States?" "Yes."

A similar charge of not paying wages laid against Mrs. Goldstein was withdrawn.

To be sure of a good attendance at a farm sale, have the list printed in The Era. The cost is low.



WHEN ROYALTY GREETED ZEPHYR

This picture of the king and queen on the royal train at Zephyr was taken by W. M. Cockburn, York county agricultural representative. A tremendous crowd gathered at Zephyr station a week ago to see their majesties.

NEWMARKET PEOPLE
FOUND EVERYWHERE

Here is yet another list of Newmarket people, who, it is hoped, will be attending the reunion on June 29, 30, July 1, 2.

Mrs. J. A. W. Allan, 1 Grosvenor Rd., Toronto.

Albert Arnold, 9 Davies St., Toronto.

W. J. Addison, 159 Albertus Ave., Toronto.

Rev. N. Bolan, 263 Roncesvalles Ave., Toronto.

Oscar Brodie, 127 Erskine Ave., Toronto.

C. M. Brodie, 5 Wendover Ave., Toronto.

E. C. Bogart, 4 Wychwood Ave., Toronto.

Mrs. G. A. Beck, 82 Russell Hill Rd., Toronto.

Mrs. W. F. Beck, 17 Orsonby Cres., Toronto.

Bruce Blizard, Imperial Oil, 56 Church St., Toronto.

C. Bruels, 244 Bay St., Toronto.

N. Bruels, 30 Lola St., Toronto.

Morley Bruels, 30 Lola St., Toronto.

Fred Blencowe, 61 Sorauren Ave., Toronto.

S. G. Brock, 35 Teddington Park Blvd., Toronto.

G. A. Burnett, 30 Azili Ave., Toronto.

R. W. Bailey, Head Office, Bank of Montreal, Toronto.

W. J. Cokerill, 250 Heath St., W. Toronto.

James Choppin, c/o Confederation Life, Richmond St., Toronto.

Ben. Cox, Ont. Hydro Comm., University and Yonge Sts., Toronto.

J. G. Cane, 226 Glen Grove St., W. Toronto.

Jack Cain, c/o Imperial Oil, 56 Church St., Toronto.

Mrs. R. H. B. Cook, 497 Windermere Ave., Toronto.

Ted Cochenour, 197 Wellesley Ave., Toronto.

Win. Cochenour, 4 Avenue Rd., Toronto.

Arthur Coltham, 2090 Danforth Ave., Toronto.

Eddie Cain, 1182 Queen St. W., Toronto.

Mrs. W. F. Magee, 453 Millwood Rd., Toronto.

Misses and Mrs. MacCaffrey, 72 Appleton Ave., Toronto.

Adolph Mollenhauer, 37 Northcliffe Blvd., Toronto.

Arnold Mollenhauer, 33 Haselshire Blvd., Toronto.

May Mollenhauer, 541 Dovercourt Rd., Toronto.

C. F. Moore, Excelsior Life Bldg., Toronto.

I. Marritt, 283 Jedburgh Rd., Toronto.

A. Ross MacKenzie, 42 King George Rd., Toronto.

John McAleer, Mimico.

Eugene McAleer, Armadale Ave., Toronto.

Wilson McAleer, Galley Ave., Toronto.

Reid Murdoch, Murdoch St. Y. Co., Wellington St. W., Toronto.

A. S. Morgan, 156 Glenmanor Dr., Toronto.

Philip Morgan, 16 Wellington Rd., Toronto.

Earl Morgan, 62 Charles St. E., Toronto.

Leo Pollock, Silverwood Dairy, Dupont St., Toronto.

Fred Piercy, 293 Keewatin Ave., Toronto.

Thornion Prosser, 684 Windermere Ave., Toronto.

C. Purdy, 772 Queen St. W., Toronto.

A. F. Sanders, 33 Ridley Blvd., Toronto.

Miss E. Starr, Imperial Bank, Yonge and Bloor Sts., Toronto.

Rev. R. J. D. Simpson, 496 Castlefield Ave., Toronto.

H. G. Soules, 129 Sherwood Ave., Toronto.

Morrison Smith, Toronto.

R. S. Tonile, 16 Indian Cr., Toronto.

P. Traviss, 168 Lansdowne Ave., Toronto.

Bill Thoms, 83 Castleknock Rd., Toronto.

Miss C. Trivett, 9 Constance St., Toronto.

Carl Trivett, Willowdale.

Ont. Mrs. Minto Smith, 668 Indian Rd., Toronto.

A. W. Johnson, 15668 Turner Ave., Detroit, Mich.

W. F. Johnston, 149 Fifty Ave., Ottawa, Ont.

H. M. Johnston, 61 Queens Ave., Mimico.

S. L. Johnston, 37 St. Clarens Ave., Toronto.

Mrs. D. D. Johnston, 64 Westmoreland Ave., Toronto.

Miss M. L. Johnston, 64 Westmoreland Ave., Toronto.

Mrs. G. R. Jackson, 201 Melrose Ave., Toronto.

Mr. Ernest Flintoff, Upland, Calif.

Mr. Eltie Flintoff, 1036 North Macley, San Fernando, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bruce, 170 Sixth St., New Toronto.

Miss Gladys Bruce, 170 Sixth St., New Toronto.

Mrs. Malcolm Syne, 127 Second St., Toronto.

Thos. and Jack Kelly, 247 Brant Ave., Brantford.

Jim Kelly, 181 Rowden Ave., Brantford, Ont.

Rev. K. N. Morrow, Oshawa, Ont.

Mrs. W. A. Fitzgerald, 2816 Partridge Ave., Los Angeles.

Harold Armistage, Stouffville.

Mrs. Brockschire, Victoria St., Toronto.

Mrs. C. Baiden, 24 Fenwick Ave., Toronto.

Mr. Clint McGee, Sterling, Ont.

Arthur Bogart, Mercy Hospital, Toronto.

J. E. Willis, 660 Windermere Ave., Toronto.

Rev. John Everingham, 66 Whipple Road, Kittery, Maine, U.S.A.

W. M. Traviss, 805 College St., Apt. 201, Toronto.

ZEPHYR

ZEPHYR SPORTS DAY
WILL BE JUNE 17

Mrs. J. O. Bartlett and family spent Sunday in Toronto. Her sister, Miss Annie Baker, returned with her for some holidays.

Mr. Myers of Toronto is spending a few days with his brother, Mr. Thomas Myers.

Zephyr sports day is being held on June 17, with a program that will be better than ever.

A number of W. M. S. Ladies of Zephyr attended the convention held in Sandford last week.

Zephyr Women's Institute meeting will be held on June 24 in the community hall with Mrs. E. Walker as hostess. The subject will be agriculture. Roll call will be bringing a sample of, and naming an obnoxious weed.

Current events will be given by Mrs. C. Pickering and Mrs. Galbraith. The program committee is Mrs. Wm. Sellers and Mrs. A. Arnold. There will be a report of the district annual and a discussion on ways of destroying obnoxious weeds by Mr. Innes of Uxbridge.

The hostesses will be Mrs. B. Armstrong, Mrs. F. Curi, Mrs. A. Cleland and Mrs. R. Harman.

The park board is digging a well in the south-west corner of the park, which will be a great convenience.

LOCAL MARKET

Local market will be found on page 8.

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WANT-ADS

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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REAL ESTATE — For Sale: Farms, Houses, Acreages, Lots. **INSURANCE**—Automobile, Fire and Casualty.

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FOR SALE

For sale—Electric washing machine, Reconditioned. 21 Second St. clw20

Puppies for sale—Fox terriers, \$3 and \$5; Springer spaniel, \$8; registered Irish Setter, 1 year, \$15; registered Irish Setter, 2 years, \$25. Mrs. Fred Mowder, R. R. 1, Claremont, Ont. *1w20

For sale—Round oak dining table with 6 chairs. Apply 128 Prospect Ave., or phone 163. clw20

For sale—Electric stove, electric washing machine, electric radio, 1 violin. Apply 29 Church St. clw20

For sale—Five electric fixtures, suitable for store, church, etc. Apply The Best Drug Store, Newmarket, or phone 14. clw20

For sale—Collie pups. Apply W. R. Richmond, Queensville. t116

For sale—Twin cylinder Harley-Davidson motorcycle. Reconditioned and in perfect running order. Apply 43 Millard Ave. *3w19

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

For sale or exchange—For good used car, a double lot at Elmhurst Beach, Lake Simcoe, Toronto 35 miles. Apply Era box 109. *1w20

WANTED TO BUY

Wanted — Old furniture, glassware, chinaware, pictures and metalware. Good prices paid. Also for sale. Apply Squires, 206 Main St. *3w20

BOARD WANTED

ACCOMMODATION WANTED
Anyone having accommodation for reunion visitors is asked to get in touch with R. C. Morrison, who is in charge of the billfolding. Adv.

FOR RENT

For rent—4-roomed apartment. Apply 92 Gorman St. t117

For rent—Rooms above store. Phone 345, Aurora. c3w17

For rent—Two nice bright rooms with conveniences. Reasonable. Apply Era box 107. *2w20

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For rent—Pasture for cattle and horses for season. \$3.50 per head for cattle. \$4 for horses. Good pasture. Running water. J. Jones, con. 2, East Gwillimbury. *1w20

For sale—One Iron-Ago Potato planter with fertilizer attachment, in excellent condition. Apply Parker Smith, R. R. 2, Aurora. Phone Aurora 85-r-24. clt17

For sale—A number of mowers, binders, 6, 7 and 8 ft. cut, with trucks and carriers, 10 ft. international, 1 hay loader, 1 riding plow, 2 gang plows with rolling cutters, 1 truck wagon with steel wheels, 1 turnip drill, 1 Fordson tractor with fenders, 2 walking plows. Geo. Prentice, Milliken, phone Agincourt 52w3. clw20

For sale—Timothy hay. Apply Ira H. Traviss, Queensville, R. R. 1. *1w19

RIDING CLUB HOLDS WEINER ROAST

The Timothy Eaton Memorial riding club of Toronto entertained members and friends at a weiner roast last Friday, held on private grounds at King City. After the roast the club adjourned to Bella Lake where dancing and boating were enjoyed.

Those present were Miss Helen Morton, Horace Barrett, Miss Jean Button, Phil Holsinger, Miss Lillian Gillies, Frank Egan, Miss Mary Donahue, Ken Dill, Miss Lulu Donahue, Gordon Patton, Miss Dorothy Grubb, Bud Frocker, Miss Lois Kenny, Lloyd Collins, Miss Irene Hoffman, Ken Miller, Miss Grace Becker, Boy Shoultice, Miss Ellen Morrow, Herman Diawari, Miss Dorothy Mutch and Norman Miller.

LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

Horse for sale—One black Percheron mare, 9 years old, priced to sell. Ben Howard, phone 161w3, Newmarket. clt19

For sale—Pigs, 6 weeks old. John Maurer, Holland Landing-Sharon road, on Second St., north-west corner. *1w20

SEED FOR SALE

For sale—Silver Hull buckwheat. Apply Percy James, Queensville. *3w19

WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Capable girl will mind children afternoons or evenings. Apply 79 Prospect Ave. *1w20

Work wanted—Young lady, aged 20, desires work for summer months in summer resort or with private family. References. Era box 111, Newmarket. clw20

HELP WANTED

MEN WANTED
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MISCELLANEOUS

Dog owners—Our pets need attention during hot summer days. Bring them to me for washing, shampooing, electric clipping, etc. Dogs boarded by day, week or month. B. Watson, North Main St., Newmarket, opposite cemetery gates. *4w19

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SALE REGISTER

Saturday, June 24—Executor's sale of contents, 20-roomed boarding house, 220 acre farm, farm stock and implements, the property of the estate of the late Stephen Scott, Jackson's Point, adjoining to west of the Salvation Army summer camp, at 1 p.m. D.S.T. At the same time the farm will be offered for sale, subject to a reserve bid. Terms and conditions made known at time of sale. Terms on chattels, cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c3w19

TOWN OF NEWMARKET

SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES

Take notice that I have prepared a list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes and that copies thereof may be had at the Town Office, 99 Main Street; and further take notice that the said list will be published in the Ontario Gazette in the issues of May 6th, June 3rd and July 1st, 1939. And further take notice that in default of payment of the said taxes and costs the lands will be sold for taxes on the Eleventh day of August, 1939, at 10 a.m. (Daylight Saving Time) in the Council Chambers, Main Street, Newmarket.

DATED at Newmarket this eleventh day of May, 1939.
N. L. Mathews,
Town Treasurer. c13w15

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MYRTLE RUSSELL IS WED IN TORONTO

A pretty wedding was solemnized at St. James' Roman Catholic church, Toronto, on Monday morning, when Myrtle Jessie Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Russell, became the bride of Herman William Snyder, Jr., younger son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Snyder, Sr., of Toronto. Rev. Father W. P. Heydon officiated. Miss M. Smith played the music and W. McClintock sang.

The bride wore a gown of white satin and Maltese lace made on princess lines and was given in marriage by her father. Her full-length veil was caught with a halo of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Frances Wright, as maid of honor, wore blue taffeta, and the bride's sisters, Misses Grace and Ruth Russell, as bridesmaids, wore in similar frocks of pink taffeta. Miss Ruth Bowser was flower girl. The attendants carried old-fashioned nosegays. Mr. T. Snyder, brother of the groom, was best man. After a reception at the home of the bride's parents, the couple left for points north. On their return they will live in Toronto. Mrs. Snyder is a former Newmarket resident.

REV. ARTHUR HAWTIN IS SPEAKER AT C.E. MEETING

Rev. Arthur Hawtin, returned missionary from India, was guest speaker at the Friends church Christian endeavor meeting on Monday evening.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy and condolence extended by many friends and neighbors at the time of the sudden death of my beloved husband.
Mrs. H. E. Johnson, Mount Albert.

In Memoriam

McGhee—In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Nellie McGhee, who was killed at Cane's explosion, June 13, 1919. The dearest daughter and sister. One of the best whom God could lend.
But Jesus loved her better, And so He called her home. Away in the Heavenly Garden By the Valley of Peace so fair. Some day, some time, When our task is done, We shall meet our loved one there. Sadly missed by Mother and Family.

BIRTHS

Cooper — At Soldiers' Memorial hospital, Orillia, June 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cooper, Washago, a baby sister for Freddie.

Foster — At Holland Landing, June 6, to Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, a son.

Lauria — At York county hospital, June 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lauria, Newmarket, a daughter.

Victor — At York county hospital, June 8, to Mr. and Mrs. John Victor, Toronto, a daughter.

DEATHS

Atkinson—At Schomberg, on Wednesday, June 14, William A. Atkinson, son of George and Catherine Atkinson, and brother of Ella, Stewart and Gertrude, in his 46th year.

Funeral service at the home of his father, lot 21, con. 9, King, on Friday at 2 p.m. (S.T.) Interment King cemetery.

Crittenden—At Toronto General hospital, June 3, William Amos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Crittenden, Keswick, aged 17 years. Interment was made in Queensville cemetery.

Davis — At Toronto East General hospital, on Wednesday, June 7, Amy Hardwick, wife of the late Ambrose Davis, in her 86th year. The funeral service was held in Aurora on Saturday, June 10.

Dion—Suddenly, as a result of an accident on Tuesday, June 13, Raymond Arthur Dion, beloved husband of Florence Dion, in his 35th year. Funeral will be held from the residence of Mrs. T. H. Dion, lot 22, con. 4, King township, at 2:30 p.m., standard time, Friday, June 16. Interment will be made in Kitchener cemetery.

Huntley — At Queensville on Friday, June 9, June E. Evans, widow of the late J. W. Huntley, in her 59th year.

The funeral service was held at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. Stickswood, Queensville, on Sunday, June 11. Interment in Queensville cemetery.

Jackson — At the Toronto Western hospital, Thursday, June 8, Walter Leopold Jackson, in his 25th year.

The funeral was held at the residence, lot 17, concession 4, King township, on Monday, June 12. Interment at King.

Miller — At the Brantford hospital, Brantford, on Saturday, June 10, Sarah J. Monkhouse, widow of the late Joseph H. Miller, in her 81st year.

The funeral was held at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. L. Hoover, on Tuesday, June 13. Interment in Brantford cemetery.

Watson — At his home, Lady Ave., Newmarket, on Friday morning, June 9, John W. Watson, son of the late Mark Watson, in his 70th year (formerly of Dawson road, York township).

The funeral service was held at the above address on Monday, June 12. Interment Mount Pleasant cemetery, Toronto.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

PHONE 12

Mrs. Robert Graves, Niagara St., has returned home after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. Carson, King.

—Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Bate-man of Bradford were visiting friends in town for the weekend. —Mr. M. B. Seldon has been in Halifax on a business trip this week.

—Mrs. Jas. Bond has returned home after spending the past three weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bond, at New Liskeard.

—Miss Meryl Bennett is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Bennett.

—Mr. and Mrs. Melville Smith of Lindsay were visiting friends in town on Saturday.

—Mrs. W. C. Henry attended the wedding of Miss Lillian Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Miller, to Mr. Jack Traves, at Kingston, last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Boden of Tottenham were visiting friends in town on Monday.

—Miss Florence Chantler of Toronto spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Chantler.

—Miss Marie Hansler of Toronto spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hansler.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Little and Mrs. J. R. Stallard spent Friday and Saturday in Niagara Falls and attended the graduation exercises at Loretto Academy.

—Mrs. Howard Cane and Mrs. William Neal of Toronto were

visiting in town on Saturday. —Mr. John Carruthers and Miss Ruby Carruthers of Toronto spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carruthers.

—Mrs. John Mortson spent last week in Toronto visiting friends.

—Adjutant and Mrs. J. Batten and several others from Newmarket attended the commissioning of cadets by General Evangeline Booth in Toronto at Massey Hall on Thursday.

—Miss Esther Leach is leaving for a vacation at Shanty Bay this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Little attended the Little reunion at Snelgrove in Peel county on Saturday.

—Miss Abbie Sinclair of Brampton and Mr. William Sinclair of Wolfe, Sask., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baker, Eagle St.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johns and daughter, Betty, of Seaford, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johns.

—Miss Marjorie Smith of Buffalo was the guest of Miss Velma Thompson over the weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown of Toronto were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Dorland.

—Miss Bertha Neilly left Thursday for St. Catharines, to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mr. Jas. Spence.

—Mrs. W. C. Brodie of Toronto spent a few days this week with her son, Mr. W. H. Brodie.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Mount Albert, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Violet Amelia, to Mr. James Herbert Wagg, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wagg, Goodwood, Ont., the wedding to take place quietly Saturday, June 24.

Mr. and Mrs. William Keffer wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Irene, to Orville Wallace Parker, of Maxwell, Ont., the marriage to take place early in July.

LILLIAN HART WEDS

PEARCY P. THOMAS

A pretty house wedding was solemnized on Saturday afternoon, when Lillian Edna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hart, became the bride of Percy Prescott Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thomas. The ceremony was performed against a background of summer flowers, with Rev. R. R. McMath officiating. The wedding music was played by Morley D. Rowland, and Miss Eileen Hart, sister of the bride, sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, looked lovely in a suit of dusty pink with navy accessories and corsage of gardenias. She was unattended.

At the reception which followed, Mrs. Hart received the guests in a figured sheer frock with corsage of tallisman roses. The groom's mother was in black and white printed silk with a corsage of Johanna Hill roses.

The happy couple left later for their future home in Oba, northern Ontario.

CHURCH WEDDING IS PRETTY EVENT

A pretty wedding took place at the Sacred Heart church, fifth line, King, on Saturday, June 10, when Mary Olive, eldest daughter of Mrs. John Cain and the late John Cain, became the bride of Francis Dorian, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dorian of Philipston.

Gerald King, cousin of the groom, acted as best man. Rev. Father Tuomey of Schomberg officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Vincent, wore a frock of crushed-strawberry sheer with blue accessories.

The bride was attended by her sister, Florence, who wore printed sheer, with white accessories.

The wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride's mother. After the wedding trip, the couple will reside in Maple.

EVANGELINE AUXILIARY HOLDS JUNE MEETING

The regular meeting of the Evangeline auxiliary of the W.M.S. of Trinity United church was held on Tuesday evening in the church.

The devotional period was taken by the centre group, under the leadership of Mrs. J. D. McConchie. The study book, "A World in Canada," was reviewed by the use of slides, which were very interesting.

Miss Jean Robinson sang a solo, which was much appreciated. Tea was served at the close.

Sandford

The date of Sandford United church garden party is July 4. The committee is busy arranging a first class concert for this occasion.



BROTHER AND SISTER

This is a happy family. Donald is three years old and his sister, June, is one year. They are the charming children of Mr. and Mrs. C. Pinder, Newmarket, R.R. 3. Photo by courtesy of Build Studio.

PEPPER AND SALT

BY "PEP"

The old arena won't be turned into a roller skating pavilion this summer as far as Joe Spillette is concerned. The cost of such a venture runs into a neat bundle of mazzuma. A perfectly balanced hardwood floor would have to be laid and provision made to keep down the dust, to muffle the noise of the rollers and also to supply skates.

This could be done, as far as financing is concerned, only if the place were packed a couple of times a week. This news will disappoint not a few enthusiasts of the sport.

Tennis play-offs run off on the collegiate courts reached a finish in the boys' division last week. Bob Dales captured the senior crown, with junior honors going to Bill Jelley.

The feminine racquetters, to all appearances, haven't made up their minds whether to complete their schedule now or to wait a few months.

The reunion should be a success from an amusement angle as well as from any other view. Nothing spectacular is being promoted but the sports program is a well-balanced affair. The juvenile races and grunt and groan events will give everyone a chance to wear out a good pair of lungs.

This corner mourns the lack of a local hard-ball organization. The hub produced some classy squads not so far back. The Office Specialty and town had teams that played the best simon pures in Ontario.

Mitch Howard and Art Peppiatt alternated on the mound and George Peppiatt was at the receiving end. The late Jack Weir usually officiated behind the plate and with his huge stature and booming voice made every contest worth-while.

Every Saturday afternoon saw the foregrounds packed with gun-toting ball fans. After the game everyone celebrated or drowned their sorrow as the case might be. Those were "the good old days."

with their aunt, Mrs. Jas. Lindsay, and called on a few old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Halliday in Hamilton last weekend.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. M. S. will be held on Friday evening of this week in the Sunday-school room at 8 o'clock. Slides on the study book, "The World in Canada," by Rev. J. I. MacKay of Toronto, have been secured and will be shown at this meeting. These should prove interesting to all and a hearty invitation is extended to men, women, boys and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hill and family, Mrs. Wm. Hill, Sr., and Miss Mary Hill, of Toronto, were guests at Mrs. McConchie's last Sunday.

Mr. Samuel Miller of Galt was a weekend guest at the Putnam home.

Mr. Jack Bond of Guelph spent Tuesday at the Putnam home. Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Crum of Elk Lake had Thursday dinner.

PINE ORCHARD CEMETERY DECORATION

The annual decoration service of the Pine Orchard cemetery will be held in the cemetery on Sunday, June 25, at 2 p.m., E. S. T. Everyone is welcome.

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Aurora Softballers Defeat King Team By 9-8 Score

SHORE LOOKS GOOD IN ALL DEPARTMENTS IN TUESDAY GAME

Led by "Nugget" Shore, who starred both in the pitcher's box and at bat, and helped out by good fielding, Aurora's softball team beat out a 9-8 win over the King squad in the Aurora park on Tuesday night without going to bat in the final inning.

The game saw Ross Folliott and Roy Collings, team-mates in hockey, playing on opposite sides in softball, and Shatka, Jennings and Hunter, on the Aurora softball squad last year, were playing for King this season.

Lloyd, of King, was the only one to hit safely for his team in the first, and he failed to score as Davis and Hunter fanned, with Shatka going out on a fly to Collings.

W. White, Aurora, fanned, but Bone walked and was helped around the bases by a two-bagger by Shore, scoring on a catcher's error a little later. Heaney went out on a fly to Folliott. Collings walked, but R. White went out at first before the runners could cross home plate.

B. Walker, Jennings and J. Walker, went down in short order in the second inning and the Aurora batters were not much better. Hodgins went out at first, and Rawlings, who doubled, was kept from scoring when Clabine went out on a fly and W. White fanned.

Folliott walked in the third to start the King lads on a scoring spree. G. Walker struck out and Davis walked, with Lloyd singling safely. With the bases loaded, Shatka came to bat and lashed out a nifty double that scored three runs, and came home himself on loose play at home plate. Hunter and Walker fanned.

Shore got a single in Aurora's share of the third, but Bone, Heaney and Collings went down easily.

Shore's hurling tightened up considerably in the fourth and sent down Jennings, B. Walker

CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, second anniversary of King, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding on Saturday. Mr. Williams is a brother of Dr. G. W. Williams and his wife is a sister of Norman Johnson, of the Aurora high school staff. Of their three sons, two are members of the Aurora Boys' band.

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Then the Aurora hitters had their big inning. R. White and Rawlings started it with a brace of singles, to score on Clabine's double. Bone and Heaney walked to fill the bases and Shore batted out a three-bagger that scored three runs. Collings, Hodgins and W. White went out quickly to retire the side, Aurora leading 6-4.

Shatka changed the picture in the fifth when he doubled and stole home after G. Davis and Lloyd had been put out. Hunter singled, to make it 6-6 for King, as he came home safely on a double by Jennings.

Hodgins singled and scored for Aurora when Rawlings singled and attempted second, bringing Hodgins home on a sacrifice effort, to put the town again in the lead, 7-6.

King failed to tally in the sixth but Bone and Shore took advantage of King's wild pitching to add two runs to Aurora's score.

The King squad needed three runs to tie it up in the seventh, but the best they could do was two, tallied by Shatka and Hunter, so Aurora did not need to take its final inning at bat.

Teams — King: G. Walker, p; Shatka, c; Jennings, lb; B. Walker, 2b; J. Walker, 3b; Hunter, ss; G. Davis, lf; Folliott, cf; Lloyd, rf; Dew and Rollings, pinchhitters.

Aurora: Shore, p; Clabine, c; R. White, lb; Collings, 2b; Hodgins, 3b; Rawlings, ss; Heaney, lf; W. White, cf; Bone, rf.

Umpires: George Davis, King; "Buck" Hayes, Aurora.

EVELYN BOOKS GIVEN CHAIR, PANTRY SHOWER

On Thursday evening of last week, Miss Evelyn Books was presented with an occasional chair, the gift of members of Trinity Anglican church. The presentation was made at the home of Mrs. E. Bradbury, Irwin Ave.

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. Lorne C. Lee and Mrs. Frank Grainger entertained the bride-to-be at a tea and pantry shower, at the former's home on Wellington St.

WILL MARRY SATURDAY

Audrey Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Edwin Duffield, is to be the bride of Donald Rodney Nelson, of Dundas, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Nelson, Corinth, Ont., on Wednesday, June 21.

The wedding will take place at 160 Aberdeen Ave. in Hamilton, where Miss Duffield has been attending school for several years.

TOWN GETS \$10 RENT FOR ARENA WRESTLING

Ten dollars represented the rental received by the town for the arena on the occasion of the wrestling bouts held last Saturday, Councillor A. J. Wilson told council on Tuesday.

Allowing the bouts on the night of the horse show was termed "a very bad precedent," by Mayor J. M. Walton. "I may be a little strict," he stated. "But when we are having a horse show in town we must not let other interests take advantage of it. Shows such as this wrestling show often carry an undesirable following with them."

"They do not come to Aurora to bring us \$10, but to take much more than that away from town," the mayor concluded.

"I thought the contestants were of a desirable sort," said Mr. Wilson.

"I spoke to the people who attended and they enjoyed it," said Reeve J. A. Knowles.

"The children had a lot of fun out of it," said Councillor John Stuart. Mr. Stuart also told how W. P. Mulock, M.P., had held wrestling matches in the arena some six years ago. Mr. Stuart had a ringside seat right beside him, he stated.

There was no further discussion.

WILL CHECK UP GOAT

Chief Constable Fisher Dunham will be asked to investigate a goat to determine whether it is a nuisance or not, council decided on Tuesday. A report from the health officer failed to show the goat was a menace to health.

WILL INVESTIGATE AT SPECIAL MEETING

The town's contract with the occupants of the match factory will be the subject of a special meeting, council decided on Tuesday.

"The town has suffered from other ventures in the past," Mayor J. M. Walton said. "We must be careful."

CHILDREN SEE KING AND QUEEN AT COST OF \$3.10

A bill covering the hire of ten buses, at a cost of \$31 each, was passed by council on Tuesday. The high school will pay the town for the use of four buses, it was understood.

NEW MAYOR COSTS \$75

Election costs of \$75 were passed by council on Tuesday, representing wages and rentals for the election of Aurora's mayor.

OIL FOR TOWN STREETS

The Jupp Construction Company's bill for approximately \$475, covering cost of oil spread on town streets, was passed by council on Tuesday. Oiling was not done as well this year as last, Councillor John Stuart contended.

AUDITOR GETS \$10

The auditor asked payment of \$75 for the first three months of 1939, plus \$35 for special work, in a letter received by council on Tuesday. Both accounts were passed. The auditor's salary is \$300 per year.

SEEK SOLUTION FOR TOWN PARKING PROBLEM

Establishment of a "civil welfare committee," to receive weekly police reports, was suggested by Mayor J. M. Walton on Tuesday and will be taken up at the next meeting. The committee would give considerable attention to Aurora's parking problem, the mayor intimated.

ARENA NETS \$1,005

In an auditor's report presented to council on Tuesday night it was stated that there was a slight decrease in tax receipts to date this year. Arena revenue showed an increase, however, the net receipts being \$1,005.30.

Wrestling Fans See Plenty Of Action In Aurora Rink

WRESTLER PEEVED, SWINGS ON REFEREE; BOXERS BREAK DATE

Aurora's first wrestling show in some time took place in the arena on Saturday night with several hundred fans in attendance. A menu that included splits, reverse slams, barrel rolls, drop kicks, arm locks and several other cute tricks that are usually associated with attempts at murder, was liberally sprinkled with grunts and groans and facial contortions calculated to keep awake even the hardest of fight fans.

Several fighters, who evidently forgot to bring their lunch, did their best to remedy their neglect by gnawing at the more appetizing of their opponents.

In the second bout the fans were permitted to sit in on a hanging party when Rene Labelle twisted the ropes about Gazley's neck. The referee got into action just in time to keep the gentle Gazley out of the death notices. It was a near thing, and for a time it looked as if Gazley and his head would be travelling separately, on the return trip.

On another occasion in the same bout, Referee Luther presented Labelle with a facial massage while the latter was down, by using Labelle's face as a platform from which to obtain a better view of the struggle.

Labelle didn't seem to like this much and knocked the referee to the canvas. Then Referee Luther chased the resentful wrestler from the ring, and later, as if to make it up to him, presented Labelle with the decision.

The first bout, between "Scotty" McKenzie of Amherst, N.S., and

W. I. WILL MEET AT HOME OF MRS. J. M. McDOWELL

The June meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. McDowell, Yonge St. north, on Thursday, June 22, at 3 p.m. The roll call will be "My Impression of the royal visit." A salad contest will be held. Every member is to bring a salad. The salad will be judged by Miss Kitching of the Aurora high school staff.

Hostesses are Mrs. McDowell, Mrs. L. Borden and Mrs. G. Walker. All ladies are invited.

"Bucky" Moffat, the latter described as Canada's strongest (or strongest) wrestler, was comparatively tame. It featured a sprint event, with McKenzie chasing his rival out of the ring and around it several times, but Moffat possessed the greatest speed and as a result McKenzie found himself pursued instead of the pursuer. As a wrestling bout it was a great race.

Moffat won the first fall in 22 minutes, 10 seconds, with what the announcer termed "a giant, top-spin slam." McKenzie evened it up after 15 minutes and 40 seconds with a double barrel, arm lock. Then Moffat, after a ten-minute tussle, sent his opponent to the showers with a "reverse duplex plunger."

The third and final bout saw Gordon Groves, 141 pounds and Johnny Rozulas, 146 pounds, both of Toronto, stage an interesting and speedy bout with Groves winning after 15 minutes with a turnover head scissor.

The heavyweight boxing bout was cancelled for the very good reason that it takes two to make a fight and only one of the fighters-to-be turned up.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mingay of Mark St. are on a motor trip through the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burling and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cook motored to Midland on Sunday.

Mrs. M. Jenkinson and her mother, Mrs. Warren, are visiting Mrs. Jenkinson's daughter, Mrs. Irwin, of Carleton Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillman and daughter, Marie, were visiting friends in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith and children and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Borden and Doris motored to Canboro on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hodgkinson of Toronto spent the weekend at the guests of Mrs. B. Harrison, Spruce St.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barrett of Toronto were visiting friends in town over the weekend.

Mrs. H. Mercer of Grand Falls, Newfoundland, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Hudson.

Miss Verna Bryan, R.N., of Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Bryan, Yonge St., for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. W. Munnell of New York was visiting friends in town for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Leggett and Miss Anna Leggett motored to Ottawa on Sunday.

Mrs. Townsend of Toronto was the guest of Mrs. C. A. Willis, Reuben St., early this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dodson motored to Galt for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ardill attended the funeral of the former's aunt, Mrs. John Huntley, of Queensville, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Joseph Brammer, Newmarket, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Hazlett and daughter, Nancy, of Dresden, visited at the home of Mrs. Thoms, Wellington St., during the weekend.

Mrs. J. Barradell of Galt is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dodson, Macell Ave.

Mrs. J. R. Harrison and daughter, Margaret, are at Big Chief Lodge, Orillia, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. M. Cody, for a few days.

Miss G. K. Charles is spending a week at her home here before leaving for Bolton Camp for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Osborne motored to Lindsay on Wednesday.

Mrs. Harper of Unionville visited last week with Mrs. Joseph Watts, Wellington St.

"HARMONY KIDS" WILL STAGE AURORA SHOW

When a group of radio stars answer a heap of fan mail by visiting their fans personally, that's news, and that's exactly what happened to the Hahn family, known professionally as the "Harmony Kids." As a result, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hahn, together with their family, Lloyd, Bob, Joyce and Kay, and Jim Brodie, will appear at Mechanics' hall on Monday night, under the auspices of the Aurora softball club.

A sixteen-week engagement on a Regina radio station resulted in Mr. Hahn packing his "Kids" into a trailer and going out to see where the fan mail came from.

The trailer home, in which the seven people sleep and eat, is 25 feet long and seven feet wide. It contains a bathtub that becomes a dining room table by day and a bed by night, a refrigerator and a stove and heater. The trailer is drawn by a truck with covered top, fitted out as sleeping quarters for several of the boys.

On the stage, three play guitars, two play accordions, one the violin, and one, "the traps." Mr. Hahn himself is master of ceremonies, and the family can coax harmony and rhythm out of everything from a five-cent kazoo to a piano. They have met with enthusiastic reception throughout western Canada, Ontario and the United States.

RAY DION FALLS TO DEATH IN KING BARN

Working on the remodelling of a barn on the farm of Stanley Wilson, fourth concession of King, on Tuesday, Raymond Dion fell 17 feet from a beam, striking his head against the stone wall of the barn as he fell. He was instantly killed, and Dr. G. D. Lockhart, King, found life extinct on his arrival.

Coroner Dr. J. P. Wilson, Richmond Hill, following an investigation, decided that an inquest was unnecessary and released the body for burial.

The deceased was 34 years of age and had been married two years. Surviving are his widow, formerly Florence Dove, three brothers and a sister. Funeral services will be held from the home of Mrs. T. Dove, fourth concession, on Friday afternoon, with interment in Kettleby cemetery.

GO AS DELEGATES TO BAPTIST CONVENTION

Misses E. M. Blake, Myrtle Long and Ruth Rose were delegates from the Aurora Baptist young people's group to the Baptist convention for Ontario and Quebec, held in Toronto last week.

About 25 members of the Aurora church attended the Sunday afternoon and evening church services in Yorkminster Baptist church, Toronto. Mrs. Joseph Stephenson was delegate from the mission circle.

Rev. Dr. R. Polling, of Philadelphia, spoke to the young people on the topic, "We choose Christ."

"Invitation To Death Trap," Morgan Baker Describes Yonge St.

COMMITTEE INTERVIEWS HIGHWAY MINISTER ON "BOTTLE-NECK"

RADIAL USE QUERIED

Under the skillful chairmanship of A. N. Fisher, president of the Aurora board of trade, it was arranged at a meeting on Monday night to send a delegation, representative of municipalities affected by the Yonge St. "bottle-neck" situation, to interview the Ontario minister of highways, as a prelude to meeting Premier M. F. Hepburn.

The meeting, held in the town hall, was of members of adjoining councils interested in doing away with the traffic congestion between Richmond Hill and Steele's Corners, by means of either a three-lane highway on one side of the radial tracks or by a dual highway with the tracks in the middle.

"Do you intend asking the minister of highways for anything definite?" asked Morgan Baker, M. L. A.

Mr. Fisher read a resolution previously passed, asking the government "to take steps to remedy this deplorable condition" on the Yonge St. highway. "Leave the problem to the government," Mr. Fisher suggested. "They might have objections to any definite plan. Leave the problem in their hands to deal with it the best way they know how."

"They are opening up number four in Markham and opening up the road at Schomberg," said Reeve John Greene, Richmond Hill. "I think you should have something very definite, whether it is a dual or three-lane highway."

"Have a definite plan," agreed Mr. Baker, suggesting that figures be obtained on how long it took traffic to move between Richmond Hill and Steele's Corners.

"I think it would be a splendid thing to have a cabinet meeting in Newmarket some weekend and let them see how long it takes to make the trip," suggested Dr. C. R. Boulding.

"It might be a good thing," Mr. Baker agreed, with a smile. "If something is not done soon."

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Hill Trims Aurora 12-2 In Second Softball Tilt

BENNETT'S HURLING TOO MUCH FOR AURORA SOFTBALLERS

Richmond Hill's softball squad, led by "Slow-Ball" Bennett and featuring a smooth-working infield, proved much too much for the Aurora team when the latter paid a visit to the Hill on Thursday evening.

The Hill's 12-2 victory over the Aurora squad upset any attempt to pick a group winner this early in the season, for Richmond Hill, who had been defeated by Newmarket 11-3, met Aurora, who had beaten Newmarket, 8-6, and won out.

If these three teams can take King and Sutton, the other teams of the group—and they should be able to—then it looks like a three-cornered tie for first place.

Thursday night saw the Aurora team without the services of its catcher, Max Buck, and "Hank" Clabine stepped into the position and handled it well. Up to the seventh inning it looked like a ball game, but a couple of outfield flies from the Hill batters turned it into a walk-away.

The Aurora team was unable to hit the pitching of Bennett, with the exception of his famed slow ball, but the hits were all infield and were handled well.

In the first inning W. White, Bone and Heaney went out at first base, while Mabley, of Richmond Hill, fanned, and Young and Brown went out on flies to the White brothers.

In the second, Shore went out at first, Collings hit safely and went to second on an overthrow, but R. White and Hodgins fanned. Bennett and Ehlins, of the Hill squad, went out on a fly.

W. White and Bone died on base in the third. Saul of Richmond Hill got to first on an error and Hill scored the Hill's first run, later scored the Hill's first run.

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NEAR EVANGELIST AT "GRANDMAS" MEETING

A large crowd, which included several people from this neighborhood, were gathered at Richmond Hill station to see the royal train and their majesties on Tuesday, June 6, and were not disappointed. The train slowed down and a good view was had of their majesties on the platform of the rear car. A large bouquet of Richmond Hill's famous roses was thrown at the queen, but missed, and was distributed as souvenirs to those around. The boys played coppers and wire on the track and had a good time.

Mr. Murray Downey, brother of Mrs. Lawrence Follitt, and his bride, visited Mr. and Mrs. Follitt on Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. Downey is a teacher in the Peace River Bible College. Mrs. Downey was also a teacher there.

Carleton Crossley is one of the flying fire-fighters in the north. He left in April for his work, and last week his wife and daughter, Marion, and son, Danny, left to spend the summer with him as usual. They will be located at Biscotasing, 86 miles north of Sudbury. Allan, who is attending Aurora high school, will join the family when holidays come.

Mrs. Syme, aged 85 years, recently came from Scotland to visit her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith, at Eaton Hall Farm. Mr. Smith met the fine old lady at Montreal. She is looking forward to visiting New York and seeing the World's Fair.

Miss Annie Ferguson visited a few days last week at Downview, her former home community.

Eversley Young People's held their June social meeting at Mr. J. Ball's home last Monday night, with Marie Ball as program convenor. There was a good crowd. After the devotional part of the program, several games introduced by the men were played, and a social luncheon hour enjoyed.

Rev. T. Lewis Williams and Tommy are spending the weekend with Mrs. Ransom.

A load of friends from Sherwood attended Eversley church on Sunday morning. They were Mrs. Eliza Lloyd Shropshire, her son, Charlie, and daughter, Ivy with a friend, Miss Beatrice Cauldwell, of Toronto. These were all of Eversley at one time and were welcomed. The church service is always of a high order and worthy of a large congregation.

Two weeks hence, Sunday, June 25, anniversary services will be held in Eversley church. Rev. Mr. Hiltz of Toronto will be the special speaker. On Tuesday evening, June 27, the strawberry festival will be held.

June is the ideal month for annual meetings, with its setting of verdant fields and blooming gar-

dens. There are two such gatherings to report this week, each of them a wonderful gathering, with good programs and happy social intercourse.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Wm. Carson held her annual grandmothers' day meeting of King United W.M.S. at her home, north of King City. The farm was in beautiful green, and the setting at the farm house ideal. There was a large attendance. The report is that there were 77 at lunch. Some of these were men, who took the afternoon off to convey their womenfolk hither, and remained and from the shelter of the porch heard the high spots of the program.

Mrs. Patton, president, presided. Mrs. Gordon opened the service by singing a beautiful invocation solo. Mrs. Hamby and Mrs. Willis read the scripture. Mrs. Winter and Mrs. C. Archibald led in prayer. Miss Lotta Babcock of Toronto was the guest speaker. Before she began her address, she and Mrs. Graves, of Newmarket, the oldest grandmother present, sang a beautiful hymn, quite unknown to most. Mrs. Graves, at 51 years of age, sings with clearness, sweetness and power, as she did in her younger days, when she was called the second Jennie Lind. Newmarket has reason to be proud of its singers, for besides Mrs. Graves, Mrs. Beckett was present and sang with Miss Babcock.

Miss Babcock, as evangelist preacher, and Mrs. Beckett, then Miss Abbott, as evangelist singer, at one time toured part of the west as evangelists. Miss Babcock is a busy chiropractor in Toronto, but still very active in Christian work. Her address on women's call to go and tell, was marvellous in its power, simple and definite in its outline. At the close, Mrs. Beckett at the piano sang alto, while Miss Babcock also sang in another gospel hymn as they did years ago.

Miss Ferguson told a couple of missionary stories and Mrs. Galloway of the Baptist church closed with prayer. Afterwards at tables on the lawn a delightful lunch and social hour was much enjoyed. Sincere thanks are due to Mrs. Carson for her kind thought in arranging this feast of good things and inviting her neighboring societies.

Mrs. Clark was present from Aurora, there was a carload from Newmarket, and Miss Babcock filled her car from Toronto.

The second memorable event was the Strange auxiliary W. M. S. meeting held at the beautiful home of Mrs. Usher, on the seventh of King at Nancy Lake Farm.

Strange had invited Eversley and Beza auxiliaries and they were present in goodly numbers. Mrs. A. McClure, the president, and recently appointed vice-president of Section IV, of Toronto presbyterial, presided. Miss Tinline, King's 91-year-old grand old lady, gave the

words of welcome. Miss Holman of Beza read an excellent paper on the call of Samuel. Mrs. Hill of Nobleton contributed a delightful piano solo.

Two juniors, Miss Davis and Jessie Browning, of Beza played a piano duet, which was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Inkster of Knox church, Toronto, president of Toronto presbyterial, gave her presidential address, telling particularly of the new work opened at Kirkland Lake. Mrs. Ellen Anderson, who is so well-known throughout the presbytery, gave a short address. Eversley's contribution to the program was a charming solo sung by Ethel Ferguson, with Frances Ross at the piano, and a number of short missionary stories told by Miss Ferguson, and the closing prayer. Mrs. Cooper of Willowdale recited a beautiful poem. As the senior vice-president, Mrs. Cooper is much beloved and her talks are inspiring.

A bevy of young ladies had charge of the abundant lunch, and a happy social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. Usher, as hostess, was as busy and bright and happy as usual, and Col. Usher was hospitable in a large degree. The beautiful gardens were viewed and exclaimed over, and the meeting and the hospitality were a great success.

PINE ORCHARD MISS OLIVE BOSTWICK ENGAGED AS TEACHER

The Willing Workers' meeting at Mrs. J. Hope's last Wednesday was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hall and Miss Alice Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. H. McClure on Sunday.

Mr. Bruce Reid of Toronto is home for his holidays.

Mr. Fred Allen and Miss Brooker of Windsor visited friends in the vicinity for the weekend and had tea Monday evening with Misses M. and A. Widdifield.

The school baseball team played at Vondorf Friday evening. The score was 10-8 in favor of Pine Orchard.

Mr. Douglas Hope and Miss Betty Hope accompanied by Mr. J. VanLoven and Miss Doris VanLoven motored to Warkworth to visit Mr. Bruce Hope and the McFarlane family on Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended the Aurora Horse Show on Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Hawtin returned to Brantford on Friday after visiting relatives in this vicinity for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stevens and daughters spent the weekend with Mr. Stevens' father, Mr. Stevens, and Mr. G. Stevens.

Miss Olive Bostwick has been engaged as teacher of the junior room in the Pine Orchard school.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas VanLoven spent Saturday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prest.

Miss Lorna Dillane, Toronto, spent Sunday at her home here. Friends are sorry that Mrs. J. Gould is confined to her bed again with a heart condition.

The Misses Eversley, Toronto, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McGowan.

St. Mary Magdalene's church is observing its anniversary on Sunday next, with services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. The special preacher in the morning will be Rev. Blevin Atkinson and in the evening Rev. E. W. G. Worrall of King.

The Women's Institute held its June meeting on Thursday, June 8, at the home of Mrs. C. Marchant, with a splendid turnout. The president, Mrs. E. J. Pearson, had charge of the meeting. The roll call was answered by giving some "Don'ts for the sick room."

The program convenor, Mrs. Schoultz, gave her report of the district annual in detail. Other items on the program were a solo by Mrs. Geo. Lister, current events by Miss G. Ames, a duet, "Mary of Araby," by Mrs. W. Marchant and Mrs. Hague, a "king" contest completed the entertainment. After singing the national anthem, the members adjourned to the verandah for a dainty lunch.

Glenville

Messrs. J. Loughheed, R. Thompson, V. Young of Maxwell and Mr. C. Haines of Sharon spent Sunday with Mr. Geo. Wray.

Mr. Allan Gould of Sudbury is spending a few days at his home. Mr. and Mrs. H. Crittenden of Newmarket visited at Mr. A. Edwards' on Sunday.

Mr. A. Flanagan and family of Toronto spent Sunday at Mr. F. Webster's.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Webster and Jean spent the weekend with Miss Margaret Barclay of Orr Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dowell attended the Aurora horse show on Saturday.

Mrs. Edwards of Aurora spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Edwards.

Probably an Anarchist

"You can't see Mr. Smith," retorted the sharp-faced, sharp-tongued woman to the peevish canvasser at the door.

"But, Madam, I merely wish to find out what party he belongs to."

"Well, then, take a good look at me. I'm the party he belongs to."

Home Ties

Tourist—I wonder why these hogs are forever trying to break into our cabin.

Camp Manager's Small Son—Oh, that's because they sleep in it in winter when they can't go tourists.

KING SOFTBALLERS HAVE LOSING STREAK

Mickey Shekley, who was knocked unconscious in the third inning of the baseball game between Sutton and King on Friday, June 2, was able to play when the team met Richmond Hill on Tuesday evening, June 6. The boys seem to be unlucky so far. The score for Tuesday night was 20-4 in favor of Richmond Hill. Better luck is wished for the team on Tuesday night this week.

Miss Hilda Patton returned home on Wednesday from a visit with her friend, Miss Margaret Fockler, of Keswick. On Tuesday, Miss Patton saw the king and queen at Zephyr. Several from here motored to Zephyr to get a last glimpse of the king and queen.

The Y.P.U. held a "Camp Nite" on Wednesday night. An outdoor program had been planned, to be held on the farm of E. Thorpe, but owing to the sudden rain storm, the meeting was called at the church. There was a promising crowd, with visitors from Victoria Square, Laskay, Aurora and Richmond Hill.

There was an hour of games, then an impromptu skit with the purpose of bringing out the enjoyment and spiritual refreshment of a week at Camp Ashun-yong, was presented by Misses Jean Middleton and Margaret Trench of Richmond Hill, Vera Clarke, Aurora, and Muriel Thorpe, King. A rousing singing was led by Miss Vera Clarke, with Miss Jean Middleton at the piano.

Lunch, consisting of doughnuts and coffee, was served. The evening was closed by a short worship service, with Miss Hilda Patton in charge. Boyd Mount, Victoria Square, read the scripture. Miss Margaret Trench read a poem and Miss Muriel Thorpe sang "This is my Father's World."

STORY OF ERA'S

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on a strictly paid-in-advance basis since 1895. It also happened that this Quebec weekly, published in a village of less than 2,000 population, but with a rich dairy country surrounding it, had over 2,500 subscribers. It was a big-town weekly in a small village. Were the paid-in-advance policy and the large subscription list to any extent cause and effect? We decided that they were.

Then we talked again with local people. We asked them what they thought would be the result if we required all subscribers to pay for their subscriptions at the time of expiration. Individual subscribers said that they would prefer this business-like procedure, but other friends prophesied dire disaster. "You won't have many subscribers left," they said.

As you know, we took the plunge, and as the result of the most remarkable public co-operation, we may say that we have come up smiling.

A detailed circulation statement as of June 1, 1939, appears in this issue. It shows that the Era's strictly paid-in-advance circulation was 1,379 on June 1. Four years ago we doubt if we had five or six hundred paid-up readers. Of course, we had a lot of others, but they were in arrears, and we didn't know whether they wanted the paper or whether they were reading it. We are in a much stronger position today when we go to advertisers, for we can tell them that every subscriber is a reader. He indicates his interest by paying for what he is reading.

Now we are not trying to tell you that The Era has become a profitable enterprise. It is at times and at times it isn't, but we believe that the foundation is laid for a steady and gradual circulation growth through the years, increased service to readers, and increased service to advertisers, and ultimate unquestioned prosperity of the paper itself.

That success may be slow in coming because town advertisers have not been much accustomed to consider what circulation they are buying. The inclination of some is to think solely in terms of how much space they can get for a certain amount of money. Advertising space has thickness as well as depth and width. The thickness is the quantity and quality of the circulation. It is sometimes forgotten that the newspaper with the least circulation, and the least expense in holding that circulation, is likely to be able to give the most space for the same money.

Let us add that since The Era took this step, most of Ontario's larger weeklies have begun to consider the same idea. They want to be able to tell the advertiser more definitely what he is getting. We believe that it will be only a matter of a few years until practically all Ontario weeklies are following The Era's present practice.

That will be a good thing for all of us, because national advertisers will then place a larger volume of business with weekly newspapers as a class, and local merchants and local readers will benefit indirectly.

Finally, we think that Newmarket and district people can be proud of what they and The Era together have accomplished toward the building of an outstanding community newspaper.

During the evening several poems about God and the out-of-doors were read by Misses Marion Dennison and Margaret Trench and Mrs. Mabel Hall.

Mrs. Thomas Proctor of Pottageville has returned from the hospital, having undergone an operation. Mrs. Proctor is staying with her mother, Mrs. C. Stone, Sr.

Mrs. Whitney of Severn Bridge is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Stone, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Toronto and four other friends spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Hall.

The Y.P.U. played ball at Mount Pisgah on Wednesday evening. The score at the end of the game was 8-2 in favor of King. Following the game the King Union provided the program, with the main feature a talk on New York by Miss Hilda Patton. Alfred Barker sang, "My Task."

About ten members of the Y.P.U. enjoyed the steamer excursion sponsored by the Young People's conference. Teston United church is holding its anniversary services on Sunday, June 17. Rev. W. A. Wescott of Aurora will be guest speaker for the day. The Sunday-school choir, with Miss Thursa Boys of Toronto as soloist, will be in attendance in the morning and the choir of the Lutheran church will provide special music for the evening.

Laskay dramatic club is presenting their play, "Headstrong Joan," on Friday, June 16, at Laskay hall.

Miss Mattie Hamby is relieving for Miss Jean Ross at New Scotland school, as Miss Ross will not be able to teach the rest of the term, owing to illness.

Laskay Y.P.U. visited Pottageville Y.P.U. on Wednesday evening for a ball game and social evening, but owing to rain the game was not played.

Mr. Ken Davis of Timmins returned to Timmins last Monday, having spent the weekend at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Rolling spent the weekend at Mrs. Rolling's home in Uxbridge.

Mrs. A. McClure has been elected president of the North York district of the W.M.S. The position was previously held by the late Mrs. Cunningham of Richmond Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Moffat of Walkerton spent Monday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Thorpe. The King United church are holding their Strawberry festival on Friday, June 23.

Kettleby

Mr. Weller of Nobleton was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis.

A group of A. Y. P. A. members met at Aurora for a theatre party on Tuesday of last week. Later refreshments were served and a business meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Greensides.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Davis and family visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wilson of Dunkerton.

Mr. Cyril Hollingshead of Toronto was the weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hollingshead, later leaving for Blgwin Inn, Muskoka.

Christ Church Women's Guild met on Tuesday at the parish hall. Mr. and Mrs. Ash of King and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thompson and Helen of King were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. West.

A number of people motored to Hamilton last week for the visit of their majesties, the king and queen.

An initiation of officers of the A.Y.P.A. was held on Sunday during the church service. Those holding office are as follows: hon. president, Rev. F. V. Abbott; president, Norman Greensides; 1st vice-pres., Jack Goldthorpe; 2nd vice-pres., Miss Blanche Hearty; secretary, Miss M. Hamby; treasurer, Miss Hazel Sharpe.

The Women's Institute meeting will be held on Thursday, June 29, at the home of Mrs. Ed. West, instead of on the usual date, June 22.

The June meeting of the W.M.S. of the United church was held last Wednesday, with the president, Mrs. Hancock, presiding. Mrs. Bolton gave a very instructive address on temperance. Others assisting were Mrs. Currie, Mrs. Lapard and Mrs. W. H. Murray.

The United church service in the evening was well attended last Sunday. Rev. W. J. Burton preached an excellent sermon and Maurice Hayward sang the solo part of the anthem, "Miss Davis Gear is a very young organism, and she deserves credit for the progress she is making."

Rev. J. Galloway had Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Harwood.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ash and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, all of Maple, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Farren.

Mr. and Mrs. George Paxton spent Sunday with their daughter-in-law and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Paxton of Bond Head.

Mrs. Wm. Stevenson and son of Ottawa spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hancock, Margaret and Earl, spent Sunday at Mr. L. Wilson's at Dunkerton.

Miss Leontine Hochstadt spent the weekend with her mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Clark of Waterloo are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blatchford.

Mrs. Blatchford and daughters spent the weekend at their country home. Miss Alice Blatchford has just returned from a trip to England and saw the king and queen start off on their trip to this continent.

Mrs. J. A. Marshall spent the weekend with friends at Lake

Simcoe. Misses Dorothy and Betty Prentice and Messrs. George Cameron and Maurice Hayward took a trip to Niagara Falls on Saturday.

VANDORF FORMER VANDORF RESIDENT PASSES

This community was deeply shocked to learn of the death of Mr. Joseph Ledson on June 2, at the Western hospital, Toronto. Mr. Ledson was a former resident of Vandorf, having lived on the VanNostrand estate known as "The White House." His home recently was at Bay View, York Mills.

The late Mr. Ledson was in his 65th year.

Besides his widow, he is survived by six sons, George of Streetsville, Jack of Aurora, Lee, Walter and Robert, at home, and Harold in England, and one daughter, Mrs. James Tattaral, also in England.

The funeral took place at Lansing and interment was made at Mount Pleasant cemetery, Toronto. Beautiful floral tributes were received, testifying to the very high esteem in which he was held. Friends here extend their sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Miss Jean Switzer attended the women teachers' convention at Midland on Saturday. She was accompanied by her parents and Mr. and Mrs. K. Babcock and children of Aurora.

Miss Annie Willis is holidaying at home.

On Tuesday evening Wesley young people held an ice cream social at the home of Geo. E. Richardson. There was a good attendance despite the cool weather.

Pottageville

Mr. and Mrs. R. Rose and daughter, Margaret, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Archibald and family, visited Guelph last Wednesday to see their majesties, the king and queen.

The last regular Y. P. U. meeting was opened by the president, Miss V. Allen. Cecil Dove read the scripture lesson. The singers rendered two hymns. Lantern slides were shown by the Baptist minister, Rev. J. Galloway, of the beautiful west, including many places where the king and queen visited. A number were present from Laskay. Prayer and the national anthem closed the meeting. Refreshments were served.

Laskay ball team visited Pottageville last Wednesday instead of last Thursday as scheduled. Owing to rain it was postponed. Pottageville played Laskay at Laskay Monday night and Laskay played Pottageville at Pottageville Wednesday night.

The Sunday-school of the United church will hold its annual picnic on July 1 at 2 p.m. Sports have been arranged and ice cream and refreshments will be served. In the event of rain, the picnic will be held a week later.

Miss V. Allen visited her parents at Alliston over the weekend.

Mr. Ed. O'Brien was up for the weekend at his country residence. Miss Mattie Cutting spent the weekend with her parents.

PLEASANTVILLE

Mr. Arthur Starr had Sunday dinner with his aunt, Mr. E. Hawtin.

Mrs. Gordon McClure, Orley, Dora and Murray, had Sunday dinner at Mr. Austin Richardson's home and tea at the home of Mr. E. Madill.

A good number of ladies were present at the Willing Workers' meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hope. Beatrice Chapman gave a wonderful paper on "God speaks through nature." There was music by Betty Hope and the roll call was "some manifestation of God in nature."

The July meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Tucker.

On Saturday the Misses Gladys Harper, Florence Tucker, Audrey Hunt and Betty Hope went to the city for a music examination at the Conservatory of Music.

The Institute meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 20, at the

home of Mrs. McLean, Bogartown. Mrs. Earl Toole has charge of this meeting. A report of the Guelph conference will be given by Misses Dora McClure and Harriett Starr. Mr. and Mrs. Ridley entertained Mr. and Mrs. Caulfield and June and Mr. and Mrs. Linton of Aurora, and Mr. and Mrs. Barrett of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Ward and Miss Ward of Uxbridge.

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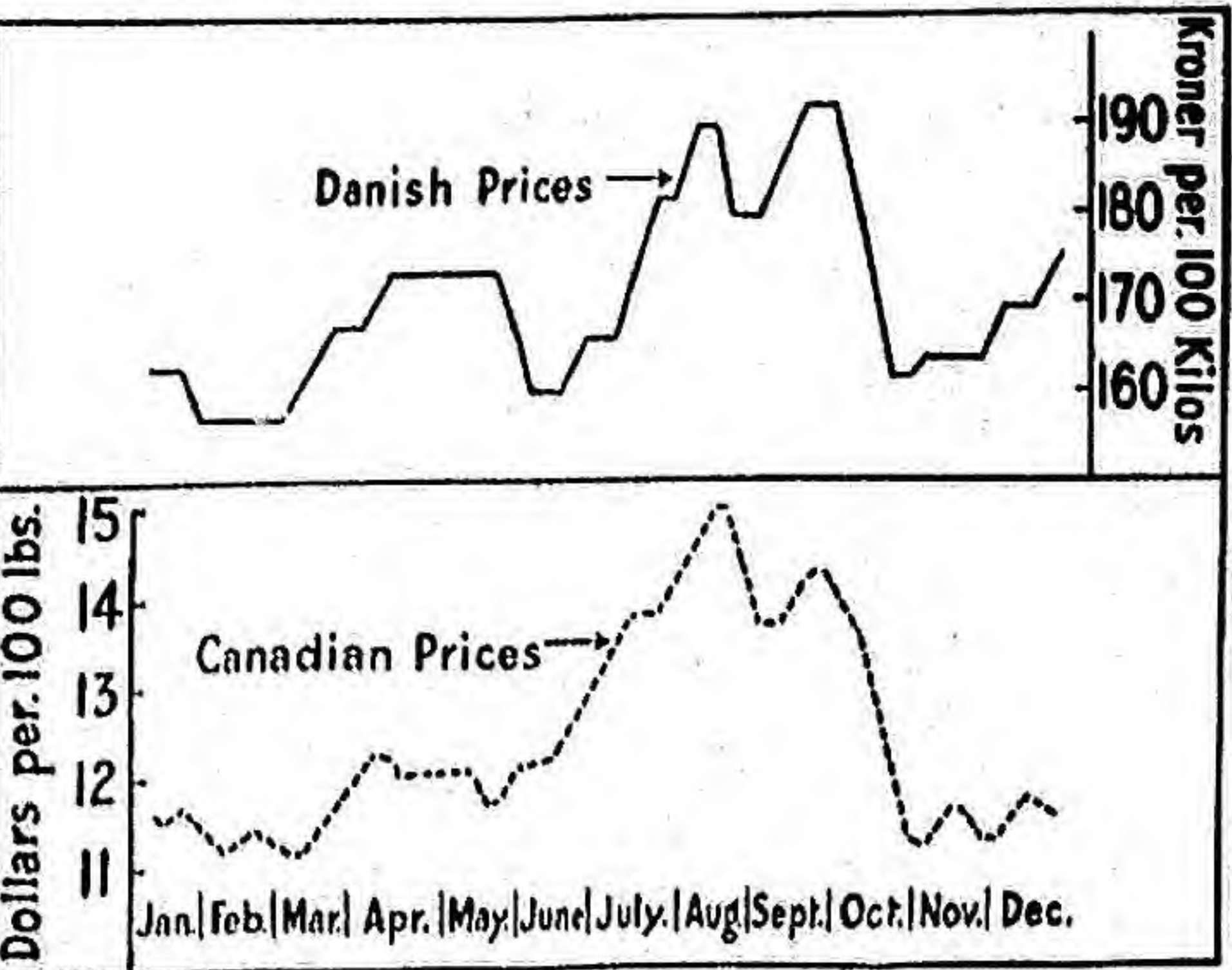
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rect."

INTERESTING SPEAKERS
TO ADDRESS MEETINGS

What is so rare as a day in
June with peonies and iris in
bloom.

The community extend their
heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. H. E.
Johnson, Mount Albert, in her re-
cent and bereavement.

At a meeting of the school board
on Wednesday evening, Miss For-
syth was engaged for another
year as teacher. Friends wish
Miss Forsyth every success in the
coming year.

All roads led to Zephyr and
Mount Albert last Tuesday morn-
ing when crowds gathered to see
their majesties the king and queen.
A number from this vicinity at-
tended the horse show held at
Aurora on Saturday.

Redecorating of the church here
is well under way, which will add
greatly to the appearance of the
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son will take part in the ser-
vices.

Rev. L. Slingerland left Saturday
for Elphin where he will be en-
gaged in special meetings for two
weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lepard
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Percy Cupples of Ravenshoe.

Mrs. W. E. Rutledge and Miss
Mary Rutledge of Newmarket were
visitors at the home of Mrs.
Frank Cunningham.

Miss Maude Knott spent a couple
of days with her sister, Mrs. Wm.
J. Wagg, of Uxbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hoover are
spending two weeks with their son,
R. N. Hoover of Elphin, Ont.

Rev. and Mrs. John Cook and
son, Donald, of Brandon, Man.,
were visitors at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Marvin Rutledge.

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Con. 4, East Gwillimbury; to his
own stable for night.

Tuesday: Alfred Beckett, Bogart-
town, Lot 31, Con. 3, Whitchurch
for night.

Wednesday forenoon: Arthur
Halt, Lot 6, Con. 3, thence to Wm.
Wrightman, Lot 12, Con. 2, East
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Thursday forenoon: Albert Morn-
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The relief officer was authorized
to supply relief recipients with
butter vouchers, as long as the
dominion government was paying
100 per cent of the cost, at the reg-
ular monthly meeting of East
Gwillimbury council in Sharon on
June 3, when all members were
present.

This plan of the dominion gov-
ernment is a scheme to reduce a
butter surplus of 6,000,000 lbs. now
in storage.

Constable Jos. Jardine was au-
thorized to appoint returned soldiers
to guard the railway crossings on
June 6, when the royal train
passed, and the previous motion
appointing special police instead,
was rescinded.

The next regular council meet-
ing was changed from Saturday,
July 1, to Monday, July 3, at 9
a.m.

The following relief accounts were
paid: Express Herald, advertising,
\$3.54; hospitalization, \$123.62; hall
license, \$3; provincial treasurer,
insulin, \$3.74; J. B. Aylward, am-
bulance, \$2.50; J. L. Smith, salary,
\$100; L. J. Farr, relief officer's salary,
\$10; Jos. Jardine, salary, \$65;
County of York, \$65.54.

The following relief accounts were
paid: Norman Fry, \$10.50; F. J.
Coulter, \$12; F. Pearson and
Sons, \$13.19; R. U. Tate, 89 cents;
Dominion Stores, \$55.61; J. W.
Knott, \$10; A. and P. Stores, \$5; S.
R. Goodwin, \$45.40; S. C. Sheppard,
\$12.66; John Miller, \$3.10; Township
of Innisfil, \$14.92; Fred Sheppard,
\$5; Wm. Barker, \$5; F. Cunningham,
\$2.50; Philip Appleberg, \$15.

Jas. Spiroff, \$2.75; Geo. Price, \$9;
R. R. Davis, \$12.66; Kenneth Ross,
\$18; W. A. Burkholder, \$5; B. Ayl-
ward, \$2.40; Harrison, \$1;
Cousins, Dairy, \$2.10; Irwin Erb,
\$12.50; Gordons, Bailey, \$6.

Road accounts: supplies, 95
cents; culverts, \$75.51; cable, \$13.74;
crusher repairs, \$14.45; B. A. Oil,
\$3.80; snow, \$5.50; fence bonus,
\$10; grading, \$306.76; resurfacing,
\$325; crushing gravel, \$299.55;
supervision, \$85.

Hope

Church service will be held at
the usual hour, 9:45 a.m., with Sun-
day-school at 10:45 a.m. Everyone
is welcome at both services.

The W. A. meeting held at
Pegg's Park on Thursday last was
well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Broderick and
Mrs. M. Hall visited Mr. and Mrs.
Geo. Williams on Sunday.

Mr. Malcolm Tansley from the
United States and Mr. C. E. Sparks
of Aurora were calling on the
Brennairs, Tansleys, Brodericks and
accompanied by Mr. H. Tansley,
had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Geo.
Williams on Sunday.

A number from here attended the
funeral of the late Mrs. Hunt-
ley in Queensville on Sunday.

Mrs. M. Tansley spent Sunday at
the Tansley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pegg, Mr. and
Mrs. Howard Pegg, Mr. and Mrs.
Stewart Pegg and Mr. and Mrs.
John Pinder attended the wedding
of Miss Violet Smith and Mr.
George Morris in Orillia, on Satur-
day.

Miss Hannah Goode and Mr.
Milton Otton of Toronto visited at
Mr. M. L. Pegg's on Sunday.

Brownhill

The village was left vacant last
Tuesday morning when everyone
left it for Zephyr station to see the
royal train and everyone was well
pleased when the train stopped
and all had a wonderful view of
the king and queen.

Friends are sorry that Mrs. E.
Robert from Roche's Point, who
has been staying with her mother,
Mrs. O. Crittenden, is very sick
and hope she will soon be better.

Mr. G. McCormick from Toronto
and friends were visiting Mr. E.
Jones over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. T. McCormick and
daughter from Toronto spent
Sunday with her grandfather, Mr.
W. Smart.

Friends are very sorry to hear
that Mrs. J. Crouch was taken to
York county hospital on Saturday,
and hope she will soon be better.

Holland Landing

Miss Joan Pearce left for Camp
Borden on Monday where she has
accepted a position.

Mrs. Arthur Hare spent last
week in Thornhill with her mother
and sister.

Miss Grace Evans of Toronto
spent the weekend at her home
here.

Mr. Summers of Toronto is
spending a few weeks with his
daughter, Mrs. Ted Dutton.

Master Grant Frederic, infant
son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kitching
of Queensville, was baptized in
Christ church on Sunday.

Mr. Allan Fawcett, Mr. and Mrs.
Trinity and Miss Dolly Tremby
visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Fawcett
on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hatfield of
Baker Hill visited Mrs. G. R. Tate
on Sunday.

Mr. Harold Tate of Toronto is
spending his vacation at his home
here.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Pringle and
Mr. Arnold Wanless of Toronto,
accompanied by Mrs. M. Evans,
motored to Orillia on Sunday.

Mr. Verne Kitching of Toronto
and Mr. Aubrey Stephenson spent
the weekend in Merford.

Miss Alma Stephenson of New-
market spent the weekend with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.
Stephenson.

Mrs. Harry Tones visited last
week in Toronto her son and his
wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon
Tones.

Miss Verma Stephenson of Tor-
onto spent Sunday with Mr.
Aubrey Stephenson.

Mr. F. J. Sheppard is spending a
week in Toronto with his sisters.

Friends are glad to know that
Mae Kearns is much improved
after her recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and
Grace visited on Friday Mrs.
E. Thompson.

Mrs. J. Thompson is spending a
few days with her husband at
Swastika.

Mrs. S. C. Sheppard attended a
banquet for the Canada Chapter
of the Eastern Star in Toronto on
Monday.

BLOOMINGTON

CHURCH CLOSING WITH
MEMORIAL SERVICE

The closing of Bloomington
United church will be marked with
a memorial and decoration service
on Sunday, June 18, at 2 p.m.,
standard time. A number of for-
mer pastors are taking part in the
service and several musical selec-
tions by former choirs will be
given. All friends, former wor-
shippers here and those having
loved ones interred in the cemetery
are especially invited to attend.

Cedar Valley

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bosworth and
family attended the Aurora Horse
Show on Saturday. Miss Margaret
Bosworth won first prize in the
girls' riding competition.

Mrs. Dorland of Newmarket vis-
ited Mrs. Harry Brammer last
week.

About 360 people, gathered at the
Pine Orchard station, were dis-
appointed on Tuesday when the
royal train passed rapidly through
without giving them a glimpse of
the king and queen.

Ravenshoe

Mrs. W. Crowder's flower
garden is a lovely scene of
beauty in various hues. It
certainly attracts those who love
nature.

Mr. John Gordon has finished
remodelling and stuccoing his
house. It looks very nice.

The first ball game of the
season was played on Monday
night with Queensville, Queens-
ville being the winners. It is
hoped that the home team will
have better luck next time. The
next game is on Thursday night
with Wesley.

Miss R. Vanstone spent the
weekend in Toronto.

Mr. Russell Pollock returned
home Tuesday from a trip to
Buffalo.

Mrs. Bruce Widdfield and
Ruth Mary, of Cedar Valley,
visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
McClure, for the past week.

The W.M.S. and Ladies' Aid
will meet at the church for their
regular monthly meeting on
Wednesday afternoon, June 21.

A supper will be served by
Mrs. Rutledge and Mrs. Shanks.
Everyone is welcome.

KESWICK

TEMPERANCE IS TOPIC

AT W. M. S. MEETING

The morning service at Kes-
wick United church was conduc-
ted by Rev. C. E. Fockler, and
the evening service by Rev.
Hugh Shannon of Queensville.
Rev. N. S. Anderson of Sutton,
who was present at the evening
service, pronounced the benedic-
tion.

Commencing July 2 the church
services will be held on daylight
saving time. A large number of
cottagers attended the morning
service.

On Sunday evening, June 25,
Rev. C. E. Fockler will have
charge of the anniversary
services at Egypt. The choir
from Keswick will assist at the
service.

The annual bazaar of Keswick
United church will be held on
July 28 at the church grounds,
afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Wm. Marritt was wel-
comed by her many friends at
church on Sunday morning,
after a year's absence through a
prolonged illness.

Miss Joy Marritt, third vice-
president, was in charge of the
W. M. S. meeting last Thursday
afternoon. The meeting was
opened by singing "God Save the
King," and a verse of the hymn,
"Blest be the tie that binds."
Mrs. Wm. Vail led in a prayer
for the missionaries and their
work. This meeting was devoted
particularly to the temperance
work and Miss Marritt gave a
talk on temperance slogans.

Miss E. Gilroy led in prayer
for the temperance work. Mrs.
Orville King read the scripture
lesson and an exposition of the
lesson written by Mrs. Wm. Mar-
ritt, who has always been an
ardent temperance worker. Mrs.
Whipple, who is in the village
visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H.
Prosser, sang a very beautiful
and a very much appreciated
solo, "Nothing but leaves." Mrs.
Vail took charge of the business
meeting and called upon Mrs.
Balnes for a report on the work
and accomplishments of the sup-
ply committee.

The committee received a
hearty vote of thanks for work
well done.

Mrs. Hildebrand, convener of the
temperance committee, then took
charge of the meeting. Mrs.
Vaughan contributed a splendid
talk on temperance and Mrs.
East Morton gave a recitation
entitled "Two votes." Mrs. Hilde-
brand read a very fine article
from the Star Weekly, "Sweden
has a way." It was an outline on
how liquor is being controlled in
Sweden. Miss Marritt's piano
solo, "Romance," by Sibelius was

very much appreciated.

The members of the society
were very much interested in an
account by Mrs. Whipple of the
work of her son and his wife,
Rev. and Mrs. Walter Whipple,
of French Indo-China. The next
meeting of the W.M.S. will be
held on Thursday, September 14.
Mrs. Perry Winch will review
the study book.

VICTORIA SQUARE

BURNS HAND USING
GASOLINE ON FIRE

When trying to start a fire re-
cently with gasoline, in order to
burn a pile of brush, Elliott
McClure had his hands badly
burned.

On Wednesday evening of last
week 15 members of the Y.P.U.
motored over to King and en-
joyed the kind hospitality of the
Y. P. U. there, at their annual
camp night.

On Thursday evening, Victoria
Square played their first league
ball game with Temperanceville,
with the latter team winning.

On Friday a good number of
Junior Farmers and Institute
members attended the picnic and
dance at Musselman's Lake,
sponsored by the York County
Junior Farmers' clubs. All re-
ported a very pleasant time.

Rev. Mr. Macdonald had charge
of the service in the United
church on Sunday afternoon,
speaking from Acts 4:13. "Now
when they saw the boldness of
Peter and John, and perceived
that they were unlearned and
ignorant men, they marvelled;
and they took knowledge of
them, that they had been with
Jesus." The choir sang the
beautiful gospel song, "Does
Jesus Care?"

On Sunday evening the Y.P.U.
held their weekly meeting at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Con-
stable at Vellore. Mrs. P. W.
Willows gave a splendid talk on
the subject, "Knights of the Long
Trail." Following the meeting
the hostess served delicious
home-made ice-cream and cake.
There was a splendid attendance.

The prayer circle met on Tues-
day evening for an hour of
prayer and Bible study.

On Wednesday afternoon the
W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs.
H. F. Collard. A splendid
program was enjoyed, with Mrs.
Hicks as guest speaker.

MOUNT ALBERT FLOWER SOCIETY HOLDS FIRST SHOW

The park committee is holding a dance on the tennis court on Wednesday, June 2. There will be a ball game at 7 o'clock between Sutton and Mount Albert. Russ Creighton and his orchestra will be on hand to provide music for the dance, and everyone is asked to keep the date in mind and tell their friends.

The first flower show of the season was held on Tuesday at Steeple's store, when the following were prize-winners: oriental poppies, 1st, Mrs. R. Davis; collection of iris, 1st, Mrs. W. R. Steeper; 2nd, Mrs. W. D. Stokes; lemon lilies, 1st, Mrs. Leadbetter; 2nd, Mrs. Stokes; 3rd, Miss Harman; white peony, 1st, Mrs. Harman; red peony, 1st, Mrs. Davis; 2nd, Mrs. Stokes; pink peony, 1st, Mrs. Stokes.

Stokes.
Living-room bouquet, 1st, Miss Harman; 2nd, Mrs. Davis; 3rd, Mrs. Stokes; dining-room bouquet, 1st, Mrs. Steeper, 2nd, Mrs. Stokes; 3rd, Miss Harman.

Mount Albert

Mr. and Mrs. George Lyons and Masters George Edward and Keith, of Portland, Oregon, spent Friday with the former's cousin, Mrs. Roy Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Mulock Pegg and family had tea on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Thyme of Johnston, N. Y., were weekend visitors at the home of Miss Elizabeth Leek.

The annual garden party of the United church will be held on the park grounds on Wednesday, July 12.

Col. and Mrs. White of Los Angeles and Mrs. Clements of

Peterboro are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Blyth.

Mr. Jas. Rennie and Mr. H. Leadbetter left on Sunday morning to attend a druggists' convention in Detroit on Monday.

Mrs. Champlain of Penetang is with her sister, Mrs. H. E. Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Champlain of Creemore also spent the weekend with Mr. Champlain's aunt, Mrs. Johnson.

H. Leadbetter has purchased the old hotel property and expects to improve it.

Next Sunday evening Rev. R. V. Wilson will hold an open-air service in the park.

Prof. Thos. R. Rosebrugh and Mrs. Rosebrugh of the University of Toronto, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmut M. Watson, at Evergreen Inn, Mount Albert, for the past three weeks, have returned home.

The Women's Institute held their June meeting at the home of Mrs. Moore on Thursday evening. The report of the district annual was given by Miss Millie Dike and she gave many good hints for the coming year.

It was decided to enter the quilting exhibit at the Canadian National Exhibition and also to have a picnic at Midhurst in July. The Institute has divided up into groups to secure new members and those who have not joined up are invited to do so, and help along this good community work. The ladies wish to go on with the improving of the town hall.

The horticultural society will set aside July 5 as the day they visit the O. A. C. Guelph, on their picnic with the other societies of this district. All who went last year will remember the nice time they had and want to go again and take others. Everyone is welcome.

Miss Mina Oliver of Toronto is spending her holidays at her home in town.

Friends are glad to see Miss Daisy Watts able to be out again after a long and serious illness.

LODGE BROTHERS ACT AS PAIRBEARERS

Funeral services were held last Thursday at Mount Albert for Dr. Herbert Edgar Johnson, who died on June 6 at Zephyr, following a heart attack.

The service was conducted by Rev. R. V. Wilson of Mount Albert United church. Pairbearers were three Masons, Geo. Price, Ed. Haigh and C. Moorhead, and three Oddfellows, H. Leadbetter, W. McFarland, and Ed. Watts. Dr. W. L. Carruthers of Mount Albert, Dr. Green, Dr. Richardson, Dr. Shier, Dr. Ball, Stouffville, Dr. C. R. Boulding, Aurora, Dr. Marwood, Dr. S. J. Boyd, Newmarket, and Dr. M. K. Dillane, Schomberg, acted as flower bearers. Interment was made in Mount Albert cemetery.

Dr. Johnson practised medicine in Mount Albert for 27 years. He was medical health officer for the townships of Scott and East Gwillimbury.

Dr. Johnson belonged to the United church and was an Odd-fellow and a Mason.

7TH CON. N. G. SCHOOL PICNIC IS HAPPY OCCASION

Mount Pleasant school, among others, enjoyed a picnic at Island Grove last Friday. The day was ideal and everyone enjoyed games, ice cream, lollipops, bathing and boat-rides out to Snake Island and back. Miss Gertrude Stiles spent a happy afternoon.

The morning service at Mount Pleasant church was well attended and the many beautiful flowers were well arranged. Many pleasant remarks were passed on the efficiency of Miss Bertie Hopkins at the piano. Each member of the choir did his or her part well. The anthems were beautiful and nicely rendered.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins on Sunday were Mr. Terry Dunn and Miss Madge Glover, Mr. Wesley Shier, Miss Jennie Brown and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oliver and Howard.

Mr. John Hopkins, Jr., had tea at Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cryderman's on Sunday evening.

Friends are glad to hear that Mr. Harold Rose is improving at the Toronto General hospital and it is hoped he will soon be able to return home.

Miss Marion Hamilton visited Miss Isabel Hamilton on Sunday. The Baker Hill choir and Clavon Baker, pianist, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Enmanuel Miller, after the Sunday evening service. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Miller, assisted by the Misses Emeline Ley and Jean Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovi Ley entertained Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and daughter of Aurora on Sunday afternoon.

The strawberries have appeared on some menus in this locality. Byron Brown's application has been accepted at Ottawa to serve seven years in the Royal Canadian Navy where required in Canada or abroad.

Friends were glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis of Toronto (former choir members) out to church at the evening service on Sunday.

Miss Hazel Cryderman and Mr. Stanley Sellers visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Miller on Sunday.

Mount Pleasant

The country is beautiful with its green carpet, trees in full leaf and shrubs in bloom. Many flower beds are looking lovely. Strawberries are on the bill of fare. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson enjoyed the home-grown fruit on Saturday.

Rev. Peter Taylor, the Mount Pleasant minister, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson, also visiting his congregation.

The anniversary services were well attended on Sunday. In the evening the church was filled to overflowing, many coming from other churches to hear the pastor, Rev. Peter Taylor, and the singing by the Baker Hill ladies' choir, which was beautifully rendered.

Mrs. Geo. Moulds is in Markham visiting her daughter.

Mrs. Ross Stiles and daughter, Ruth, spent Wednesday at Mrs. Bernard Davidson's.

Mr. Mark Stiles of Toronto is spending a few days with his brothers, Messrs. Robt. and Geo. Stiles.

Miss Velma Bosworth of Roche's Point and Mr. and Mrs. Milford Rye and family of Beaverton, spent Sunday at Mr. Wm. Moulds's.

HORSE SHOW

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ardson's team, Aurora.

Jumping stake: Miss Phyllis Rawlinson; O. D. Robinson; Timothy Eaton.

Working hunters: Laddie, R. R. Brown, Toronto; Javelin, Miss Phyllis Rawlinson; Lady Cushman, O. D. Robinson, Toronto.

Open performance, consolation: O. D. Robinson, Toronto; Miss Phyllis Rawlinson; J. Elliott Cottrell, Toronto.

Brood mare competition: Bobmar Farms, King; George Leacock; Bobmar Farms; D. G. McAllister, Richmond Hill.

Best sucking colt: D. G. McAllister, Richmond Hill; Miss Mary Roadhouse, King; Miss Mary Roadhouse, King; R. E. Huntley, Queensville.

Best yearling by a thoroughbred sire: D. G. McAllister, Richmond Hill; Bobmar Farms, King; Bobmar Farms; Bobmar Farms.

Best 2-year-old mare or gelding by a thoroughbred sire: Bobmar Farms, King; Miss Jill Riggall, Isle of Man.

Best 3-year-old mare or gelding by a thoroughbred sire: Government Dock, Bobmar Farms, King; Peggy Colombe, Cecil M. Dove, Kettleby.

Special colt or filly 1 year old or under, from grade mare, foal the progeny of Ebony Boy: Mrs. Donald Hamilton.

Best yearling roadster: Blue Top Stables, Kitchener; Wm. B. Reid & Sons, Brampton.

Single roadster in harness, 152 hands and under: Blue Top Stables, Kitchener; Wilmut Hussey, Alliston; W. H. Lindsay, Campbellcroft; J. L. Waples, Victoria Harbor.

Single roadster in harness, over 152 hands: Currie & Terwit, Wingham; Lloyd Kennedy, Bethany; Blue Top Stables, Kitchener; J. L. Waples, Victoria Harbor.

Pair of roadsters in harness: Lloyd Kennedy, Bethany; Wilmut Hussey, Alliston; Blue Top Stables, Kitchener.

Single hackney in harness, over 14 hands 2 inches: W. S. Munroe, Embro; W. S. Munroe, Embro; R. M. Barden, Hillsburg.

Pair of carriage horses in harness, mares or geldings, over 15 hands: W. S. Munroe, Embro; R. M. Barden, Hillsburg.

Gentleman's turnout: W. S. Munroe, Embro; R. M. Barden, Hillsburg; J. L. Waples, Victoria Harbor.

Pony, mare or gelding, not exceeding 12 hands 2 inches, driven by boy or girl, not over 14 years of age: T. E. Elmer, Tottenham; Arthur Trent, Aurora.

Pony, mare or gelding, not exceeding 12 hands 2 inches, driven by boy or girl, not over 14 years of age: George McGowan Jr., Toronto; T. E. Elmer, Tottenham; Arthur Trent, Aurora.

Saddle pony, mare or gelding, not exceeding 12 hands 2 inches, ridden by boy or girl, not over 12 years of age: T. E. Elmer, Tottenham; Barbara Joan Dymont, Toronto; Ruth Dymont, Toronto.

Best girl or boy rider, not over 15 years of age, on pony or horse up to 15 hands: Trent Felker, Aurora; Miss June Davidson, Leaside; Martin Massey, Toronto.

Best lady driver: Mrs. R. M. Barden, Hillsburg; Mrs. W. S. Munroe, Embro; Mrs. J. L. Waples, Victoria Harbor.

Light delivery turnout: L. S. Livingston, Woodbridge; E. P. Armstrong, Georgetown; Frank Armstrong, Malton.

Clyde brood mare: A. Baggs, J. Torrens, G. Anthony, T. B. Weldrick, T. G. Reade.

Clyde sucking colt: J. Torrens, A. Baggs, G. Anthony.

Clyde colt or filly, foal of 1938: N. C. Shantz, Frank Hill.

Clyde gelding or filly, foal of 1937: G. Anthony, T. B. Weldrick, T. G. Reade.

Clyde gelding or geld mare, foaled in 1936 or previously: W. L. Stevens and Sons, E. Evans, W. Wood.

Clyde team in harness, weighing 3,200 lbs. or over, consisting of geldings or geld mares: N. C. Shantz, W. L. Stevens, Herbert Dooce, Charles McLean.

Clyde stallion three years and over: Frank Hill.

Clyde stallion, two years and under: Clark Young, A. Baggs.

Grand champion Clyde stallion, any age, Clark Young.

Special, Clyde gelding or filly, two years old: T. B. Weldrick, W. Wood.

Percheron brood mare: Bobmar Farms, E. Robinson, A. Weatherall.

Percherons, sucking colt: E. Robinson, E. F. Armstrong, A. Weatherall.

Percheron, yearling colt or filly: C. Black, C. Teasdale; L. Johnston.

Percheron gelding or filly, two years old: W. Fider, S. Beavre, E. Bateman.

Percheron, gelding or geld mare, three years or over: J. Bowser, J. Fuster, V. Messey.

Percheron or Belgian team in harness: J. Bowser, E. T. Stevens, C. Cook.

Wagon horse, three years and over: L. Livingstone, C. Casey, C. E. Richardson.

Wagon team in harness to consist of gelding or geld mares: E. T. Stevens, L. Short, E. F. Armstrong, W. G. Shea.

Percheron mare or gelding, any age: J. W. Bowser, first and second.

Percheron stallion, three years and over: J. W. Palmer, H. E. Stewart.

Percheron stallion, two years and under: Watson Brothers, J. B. Ellsworth, M. Livingstone, R. Riddell.

Grand champion Percheron stallion, any age: Harry Hulce, Queensville.

Brood mare: G. W. McLaughlin, Mrs. A. H. Robinson.

Sucking colt, foal of 1939, G. W. McLaughlin, Mrs. A. H. Robinson.

Colt or filly, foal of 1938: Dr. Calhoun.

Gelding or filly, foal of 1937: Harry Mills, A. Trent.

Team in harness, N. C. Shantz, N. L. Stevens, T. R. Hall, E. D. Pascoe.

Farm teams, in harness: C. Neale, H. Morning, A. Trent, L. Wilson.

Specials, best colt, filly or gelding, three years or under: N. C. Shantz, J. N. Stevens, E. T. Stevens.

Mare or gelding, any age: G. W. McLaughlin, C. Shantz; J. Bowser, E. T. Stevens.

Best Clyde Percheron, Belgian, Suffolk, punch, or general purpose team: N. C. Shantz, E. T. Stevens.

over: Frank Hill.

Clyde stallion, two years and under: Clark Young, A. Baggs.

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